

## Weather Forecast

Clear to partly cloudy and warm through Monday with widely scattered mainly afternoon thundershowers becoming more numerous Monday. Low tonight 70 to 74. High today 92 to 96.  
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## President, McKeithen Make Meet

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (AP) — President Johnson talked about 1968 political prospects Saturday with 16 Democratic governors, and said the forecast they gave him "was music to my ears."

Johnson spent an hour and 40 minutes with his party's governors shortly after they adopted a statement praising his "courageous efforts in the Vietnam crisis" and his leadership at home.

The governors earlier had issued what they called a statement of accord, saying the American people want to continue the kind of progress Johnson has brought the nation. That action erased the last traces of political criticism Democratic governors had aimed at the President seven months ago.

### GOV. McKEITHEN

Two Deep South governors, John J. McKeithen of Louisiana and Lester G. Maddox of Georgia, abstained from voting on the statement. McKeithen left the meeting before Johnson arrived.

Gov. McKeithen said he was not prepared to commit himself to any presidential candidate in 1968.

Midwestern governors who had charged at a caucus last December that administration unpopularity was behind democratic election setbacks dropped their criticism turned to praise of Johnson.

Georgia Gov. Lester G. Maddox, like McKeithen no fancier of the "Great Society," said he will not belt the Democratic party in 1968 even if he decides against supporting Johnson.

Illinois Gov. Otto Kerner said Johnson was in "very good, excellent" political shape.

"There is no remnant of disharmony," said Gov. Richard J. Hughes of New Jersey, who had defended Johnson against the postelection criticism the governors lodged at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. "The consensus is opposite now," Hughes said.

To a man, the Democratic governors praised the White House-statehouse liaison campaign Johnson has accelerated since their last session.

But there was talk of a difficult presidential election race ahead.

McKeithen said he is not sure Johnson will seek re-election. "I don't think it's any foregone conclusion," the Louisiana governor said.

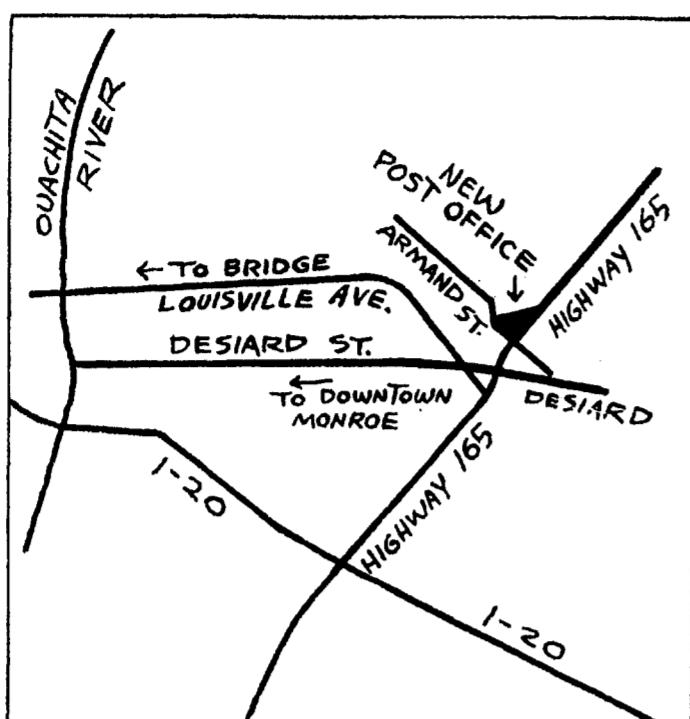
But he said he was not about to declare -- or foreclose -- support of any man for the White House.

McKeithen said he believes a Wallace race would take votes from the more conservative of the two major party nominees, probably the Republican.

He forecast GOP nomination of former Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

Maddox said he thinks the Republicans will choose California Gov. Ronald Reagan as their White House nominee. He said Reagan would do well in the South.

"I think Ronald Reagan ought to go back to the movies," McKeithen said.



MAP LOCATES site of million-dollar new Monroe Post Office and Federal Building at intersection of U. S. 165 and Armand Street, as announced Saturday by Rep. Otto E. Passman of the Fifth District.

## Location Of New City Post Office Announced

The million-dollar new Monroe Post Office and Federal Building, a 35,000-square-foot structure, will be located on a plot of approximately 20,000 square feet at the northwest corner of the intersection of U.S.

meeting between himself and Postmaster General Lawrence O'Brien, when the site selection was agreed upon, he also received assurance that plans and specifications for the new building, as well as actual construction, would be expedited "so as to serve as soon as possible the ever-increasing needs of Monroe and adjacent areas."

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The Monroe project will be a "free-enterprise" undertaking, according to Passman. He said the federal government will underwrite the costs of design and engineering, the purchase of the lot, materials and construction. But he added, the low bidder, who will receive the contract for providing the building, will reimburse the government and lease the facility for post office use for a long-term period.

By handling the project in this manner, Passman pointed out, the local economy will be strengthened. The property will be on the tax rolls of the City of Monroe, the Parish of Ouachita and the State of Louisiana and also will be insured by private enterprise.

**Happy Houseguests**

West Monroe Police Department's desk sergeant Sam Antley received a pleasant surprise in the midst of phone calls he received Saturday.

### Traffic Deaths

### Mount Steadily

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Traffic deaths mounted steadily Saturday, the first full day of the nation's four-day Independence Day weekend.

In the first 24 hours of the observation, which started at 6 p.m. local time Friday, traffic fatalities were running 50 per cent higher than for the corresponding period during the nation's last four-day Independence Day observance in 1963.

Fatalities totaled 171 since the holiday period began.

"Even taking into account the additional number of vehicles on the road, this year's high number of fatalities reflects that the 20 to 25 per cent increase in the rate of deaths per vehicle mile over the normal weekday rate is being exceeded," said John D. Lawler, executive vice president of the National Safety Council.

He urged that motorists make use of seat belts, saying this could cut fatalities appreciably.

Before the 102-hour holiday period began, the National Safety Council estimated the death toll might reach 700 to 800 by the end of the holiday period.

QUEEN ELIZABETH II smilingly poked knife into Canada's 100th birthday cake and then kept straight face as sequined go-go girls rocked and shook at "hullaballoo" party for 15,000 teenagers.

**Rain Chances**  
Are Increasing

Clear to partly cloudy skies and warm temperatures are predicted for the Monroe area through Monday with widely scattered mainly afternoon thunderstorms becoming more numerous Monday.

The high today is expected to be between 92 and 96 with the low tonight 70 to 74. Winds will be out of the southwest 5 to 15 m.p.h.

Probability of rain today is 30 per cent in the afternoon.

Officials at Selman Field recorded a high of 92 at 5 p.m. Saturday and a low of 72 at 6 a.m. Only a trace of rain was recorded in the area.

## Tshombe Kidnaped On Plane

MADRID (UPI) — Exiled former Congolese Premier Moise Tshombe was kidnapped and taken to Algeria by a gunman who hijacked his private plane over the Mediterranean, reliable Spanish sources said Saturday.

An Algiers Radio broadcast said the 48-year-old former Katangese leader, under a death sentence for "high treason" in the Congo, was in Algeria.

The Spanish sources predicted Algeria would not prevent Tshombe's abductors from taking him on to Kinshasa, the Congolese capital.

### GUNPOINT

The sources said a British pilot radioed he was being forced at gunpoint to divert the plane he was flying with Tshombe aboard and head for Majorca instead of Palma, Majorca.

According to the sources, who confirmed an earlier report of the kidnapping by the Spanish news agency Cifra, Tshombe's twin-jet plane was hijacked after taking off from the tiny Balearic island of Ibiza for Majorca, 75 miles away.

The Spanish sources said the plane landed on a military airfield in Algeria. They said a small group of Belgians were also on board. Cifra said the kidnappers were believed to be "Belgian citizens."

Tshombe is disliked by most African and Arab nationalist regimes because of his collaboration with the Congo's former colonialist rulers.

Long the storm center of Congolese politics, Tshombe has been living in exile—mostly in Spain—since Gen. Joseph Mobutu ousted his government in a bloodless military coup in November 1965.

Tshombe then flew to Europe for "medical treatment" and has not been back in the Congo since.

Last March 13 a Congolese military court sentenced Tshombe to death for "high treason." He was tried in absentia.

Spanish government sources replied "no comment" to all questions about the Cifra report.

Reliable sources said Generals Francisco Franco summoned his cabinet to an urgent meeting Saturday afternoon, however.

**Man Claims**  
Link Of CIA  
In JFK Probe

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A volunteer worker in Jim Garrison's Kennedy death plot probe said Saturday he had uncovered an official document that backs up the district attorney's claim of a link between the Central Intelligence Agency and the President's death.

Tom Bethell said the titles of certain classified documents indicate the CIA knew "a great deal" about Lee Harvey Oswald prior to the 1963 assassination of John F. Kennedy in Dallas.

Bethell was assigned by Garrison to research the National Archives in Washington. The investigator said he found at least 29 secret Warren Commission documents that Garrison would find vitally interesting.

Bethell also said there were 51 other classified documents which would be of use to the district attorney.

Garrison contends that Kennedy was killed by a CIA-trained guerrilla team, originally intended for use as an assassination squad to kill Cuban premier Fidel Castro.

After being dropped by the CIA, says Garrison, the team sought revenge against Kennedy for the detente between the U.S. and Russia regarding Cuba. The result was a New Orleans-based plot to kill the President.

Garrison says Lee Harvey Oswald was a part of the plot but was not, as the Warren Commission contends, Kennedy's lone assassin.

Bethell said he found indications the CIA was well-informed on Oswald before the assassination, that Oswald may have been privy to secret U2 aircraft files, and that the CIA knew more about Jack Ruby than it revealed.

The investigator said there is also evidence the CIA withheld information from the Warren Commission.

Bethell, a former school teacher, came to New Orleans a few months ago from London. He became interested in the Garrison probe and volunteered to help. He was then dispatched to Washington.

## Without Freedom Of The Press There Is No Democracy

# Monroe Morning World

## Israeli, Egyptian Fighting Flares Up On Suez Canal Shattering Shaky Truce

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MISS LOUISIANA flashes a smile and holds firmly to key to new car, one of her prizes for winning the state beauty pageant, immediately following her victory at Neville High School audi-

tum Saturday night. She is Miss Genevieve Del Gallo, who entered the pageant as Miss Greater New Orleans. (Staff photo by Charles Kitchingham)

## New Orleans Beauty Captures State Pageant Despite Fever

BY RONNIE LUNO  
World Staff Writer

With a sore throat and fever, Genevieve Del Gallo, Miss Greater New Orleans, sang her way to a double win in the 1967 Miss Louisiana Pageant before a standing room only crowd at Neville auditorium Saturday night.

Miss Del Gallo, singing at Loyola University of the South in New Orleans. She has sung with the New Orleans Junior Philharmonic Orchestra, is the holder of the Opera Workshop Scholarship and loves to sing.

After the announcement of the 10 semi-finalists at the beginning of the evening's performance, Miss Del Gallo and the others performed in evening gown, swimsuit and talent.

Miss Del Gallo, singing at the Louisiana Watermelon Queen, Deborah Gail Swartz of Bastrop, was first runner-up and Miss Northeast Louisiana State College, Becky Butler, was

second runner-up. Miss Swartz was the 1966 pageant first runner-up and Grand Talent winner.

Linda Leoty, Miss Northeast Louisiana Stockshow 1967 and Miss Madison Parish 1966, was third runner-up and Miss Franklin Parish, 18-year-old Donna Barnes placed fifth in the pageant.

Sharon Weston, Miss Ouachita, was voted Miss Congeniality by the contestants themselves.

The semi-finalists also included Miss Louisiana Soybean, Miss Louisiana 1966, Joy Linda Marybeth Bodker; Miss Cente Woods, took her last walk as the reigning state beauty queen and Cheryl Marsh; Miss Beauregard ovation. Miss Woods then received the Grand Talent trophy and the title Miss Louisiana 1967 from the judges.

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When the judges asked her, "What is your idea of the All-American girl?", she said turning to Miss America 1959, Mary Ann Mobley, "I can give you an example of the All-American girl. She is standing next to me — Miss Mary Ann Mobley. I feel that she must be gracious, kind, understanding and must always keep smiling. Thank you."

When it was announced that her 21-year-old daughter had won the top state crown, Mrs. Anna Maria Del Gallo cried, "Not my skinny baby, she is always winning something."

The new Miss Louisiana is slender but not skinny. She is 5'5" tall, weighing 112 and measuring 35-21-35. She has an olive complexion, a magnificent voice and a warm smile.

She is a graduate of Villa Victoria Academy and a senior at Washington.

Miss Bodker, Miss Butler and Miss Barnes had been named preliminary swimsuit winners during the first three nights of judging; while Miss Del Gallo, Miss Marsh and Miss Swartz had been named preliminary talent winners.

The record crowd for a Miss Louisiana Pageant was a warm audience applauding with huge ovations all of the girls as they performed their talent numbers.

However, the audience seemed to particularly love mistress of ceremonies, Miss Mobley. At one point in the pageant Miss Mobley was asked by the pageant directors to walk once again with a bouquet of red roses down the ramp as the judges selected the five finalists.

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The spokesman said: "The incident occurred near Ras-el-Aish, some 10 miles south of Port Said on the eastern bank of the Suez Canal.

At 1900 hours the Egyptians again violated the cease-fire agreement by opening mortar fire on our forces, and a battle developed between our forces and the Egyptians that had penetrated into the Sinai."

The Egyptian high command reported on Cairo radio that Israeli forces "tried to approach from El Qantara on the Suez Canal in the direction of Port Said, but our forces based on the east bank of the Suez Canal, in Ras-el-Aish, opposed the enemy and our forces were still fighting the enemy forces at the time this communiqué was issued."

El Qantara is about 30 miles south of Port Said on the east side of the canal.

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**WINNER OF** Miss Louisiana Beauty Pageant here Saturday night, Miss Genevieve Del Gallo, center, who entered the contest as Miss Greater New

Orleans, is surrounded by well-wishers immediately following her crowning at Neville High School auditorium. (Staff photo by Charles Kitchingham)

## Mother Rushes To 'My Skinny Baby' After Pageant Victory

"Oh No, not again, she's always getting into something," could see no trace of "Little Skinny," said Mrs. Anna Marie Del Gallo could say when her daughter Genevieve Del Gallo, 21-year-old beauty captured the title of Miss Louisiana Saturday night before a packed house at Neville High School auditorium.

The something the dark hair-ed, dark-eyed Greater New Orleans beauty got herself into this time was the Miss America Pageant.

"I'm shocked, I can't believe it," said Genevieve as she posed for pictures, talked to well-wishers and smiled the smile that had captured the audience and the judges in the four nights of competition.

Her small Mom, who came to her 5-foot, 5-inch daughter's nose, rushed to her backstage and without tears in her eyes, shouted, "My skinny Baby," and grabbed her daughter in a bear hug as photographers snapped away.

The beaming mother explained that as a child Genevieve had been very slim and she used to call her "Little Skinny", but the trim 112-pound Miss Louisiana apparently left that image far behind in childhood. She now measures 35-21-35.

**MORE**

Perhaps it was Mamma's good Italian cooking and dishes like her favorite, spaghetti with crabs, which did the trick but the judges and the audience

great deal more.

### Top Soviet Flies Back

MOSCOW (AP) — Premier Alexei N. Kosygin returned to Moscow Saturday after 15 busy days abroad and is expected to move quickly toward a new assessment of U.S.-Soviet relations.

His trip included two meetings with President Johnson, two stopovers in Paris for conferences with President Charles de Gaulle, and five days as the guest of Cuban Prime Minister Fidel Castro in Havana.

The announced purpose of his trip was to lead the Soviet delegation at the emergency U.N. Assembly session on the Middle East crisis.

He obviously undertook a great deal more.

### Claiborne School Head Takes Post Meeting Changed

HOMER (Special) — F. C. Haley, superintendent of Claiborne schools, recently elected president of the Louisiana Teacher's Retirement System, assumed his duties with the Teacher's Retirement System since its organization in Baton Rouge Saturday.

Haley explained that he had been closely affiliated with the Teacher's Retirement System since it's organization in Baton Rouge.

COLUMBIA (Special) — The regularly scheduled meeting of the Caldwell Parish School

1936, when two former Homer High School principals served as secretaries-treasurers, P. C.

Rogers, and H. G. Robinson.

Board has been postponed from its regular meeting date of the first Tuesday, until Thursday night.

The reason for the post pone-ment, according to E. L. Rich-ard, secretary, is that Tuesday falls on the Fourth, a national holiday. The board will meet at 7:30 Thursday.

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### The all american girls get the all american meal..at McDonald's

Operator Alex George dazzled his sparkling McDonald crew during the noon lunch hour Wednesday at the newly opened McDouald's unit here in Monroe. He invited the pageant contestants and visiting beauty queens currently involved in the Miss Louisiana beauty pageant at Neville auditorium to "drop by for lunch on McDonald's." The lovely ladies and their chaperones did just that, noon Wednesday. Mr. George commented that his crew of young men performed admirably for the occasion although during the height of the "beauty rush" two or three star-struck crewmen did confuse a few orders. The girls stuck to the standard McDonald "All American" menu of hamburger, french fries and beverage. Alex conceded that he couldn't expect All-American beauties



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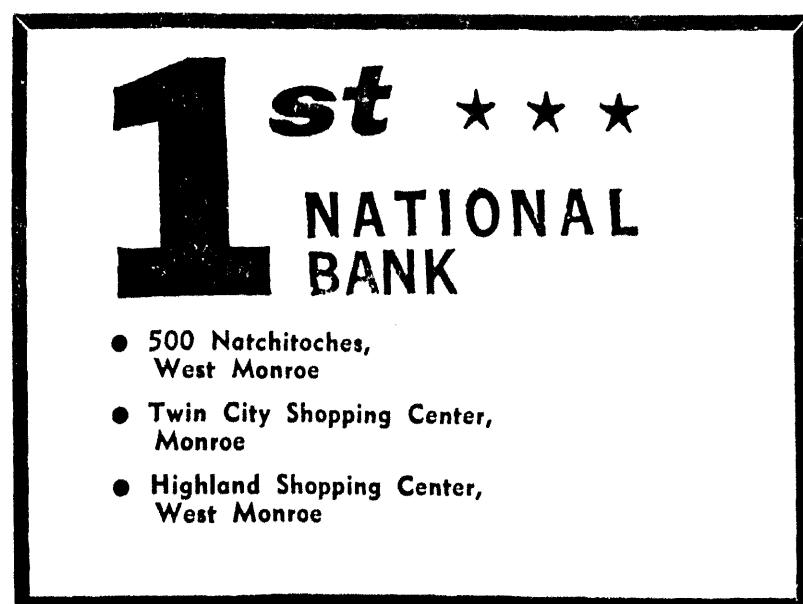
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# BBB Reports 2,280 Instances Of Service During Past Year

The Better Business Bureau of Ouachita Parish, which has been operating a long distance toll-free telephone service for one full year as of June 30, has performed 2,280 instances of service, Bernard W. Biedenharn, BBB chairman, announced Saturday.

Biedenharn revealed that the BBB staff has answered hundreds upon hundreds of telephone calls placed by area residents and bureau members seeking free information in regards to reputation of companies, securities, charities and other enterprises and the BBB staff has written several hundred letters as a part of the job of rendering this public service sponsored by private industry.

During the past 12 months, Biedenharn said, the peak month of activity occurred in April when the staff performed 276 in-

stances of service.

The low month was last September when 128 instances of service were recorded.

The Bureau maintains a record of office activity in three general areas which are "inquiries," "complaints" and "related work." The great bulk of all effort is in the area of "inquiries."

The gamut of all commercial endeavor covered, Biedenharn said. There are 48 general categories expressed in broad descriptive terms such as insurance, pest control, education, appliances, books, home improvement, photography and many others to total 48.

Translating the staff's office activity into money becomes an estimate but Biedenharn indicated the amount might total in excess of \$20,000 each month.

"We do not claim we save our people that same sum of money," the chairman explained, "although a great saving of money does occur."

In the BBB office, it was further explained, lies the ability to control the direction in which some \$20,000 a month flows.

People consult the BBB and as a result of that contact the purchase contemplated is continued to a happy conclusion or, frequently, the purchase contemplated is channeled away from the would-be seller and directed toward more legitimate business endeavor.

"If the sale in question involves \$1 or \$1,000, we simply add all of the figures and arrive at the estimated \$20,000 total per month," Biedenharn said.

Much of the bureau's time is devoted to advertising matters and in this regard the bureau is used as a consultant on questions of ethics and what is proper and what is improper in advertising, he said.

One year ago, Biedenharn recalled, the BBB of Ouachita Parish had 28 members which had been supporting the previous abbreviated operation which began in May, 1962.

"After installation of the long distance toll-free 337-4600 as of July 1, 1966, we have added enough memberships by business and professional people to raise our total strength to 265," Biedenharn said, adding that in the not too far future the BBB of Ouachita Parish will be a full scale operation with its own staff.

Until that happy day arrives, he said, we plan to continue to use the facilities of the BBB in Shreveport staffed by three employees having a combined experience of 47 years.

Recent additions to the membership roster includes J. W. Webster Insurance, Ouachita Enterprises, Habco Corporation and Riser Realty.

## Yeager Rites Slated Today

Funeral services for Olen E. Yeager, 59, of 410 Harper St., West Monroe, will be at 2 p.m. today in the chapel of Hixson Brother's Funeral Home of Monroe with the Revs. William Golden and Joe Monge officiating. Burial will be in the Twin Cities Memorial Gardens Cemetery in West Monroe.

Mr. Yeager died Friday afternoon in St. Francis Hospital after a long illness.

**SIGN AGREEMENT**  
BANGKOK (UPI)—The United States has signed an agreement to provide \$40,000 to help set up and run the new Southeast Asia Ministers of Education secretariat, an organization formed to develop graduate schools and aid educational development in Southeast Asia.

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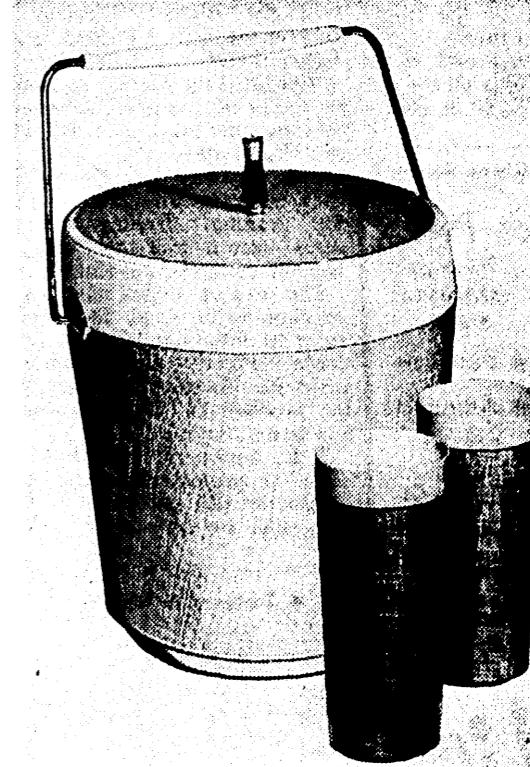
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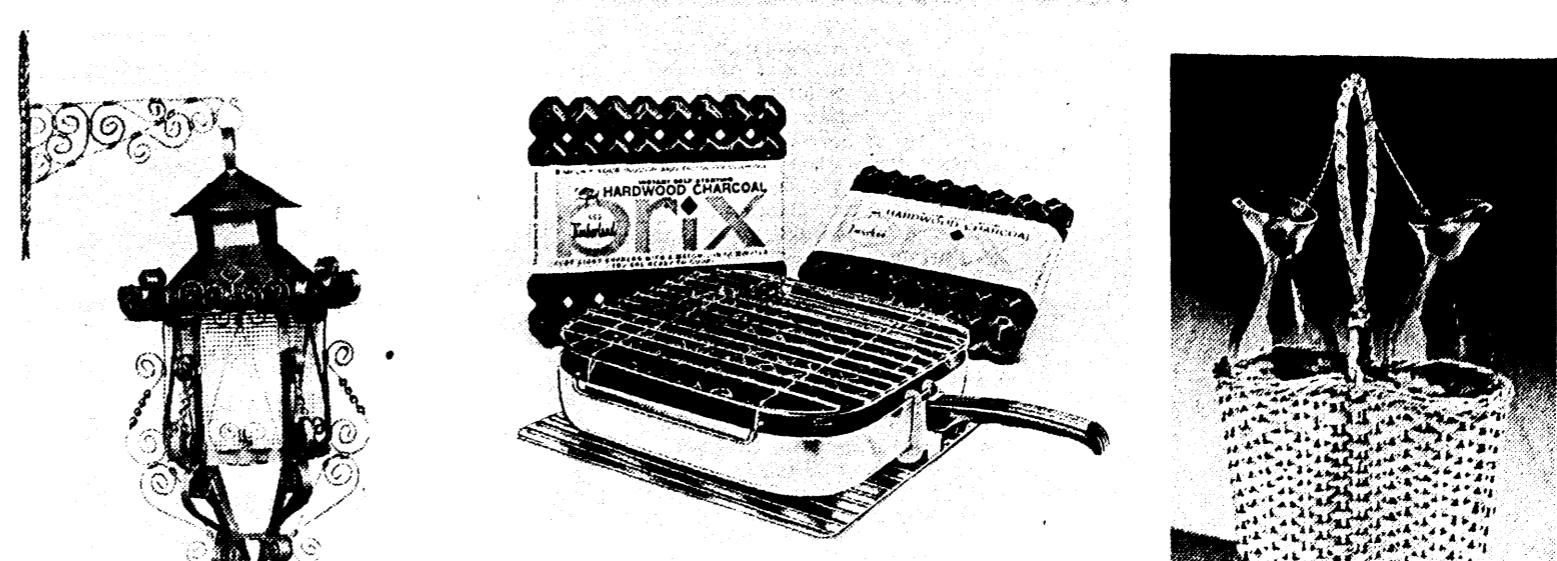


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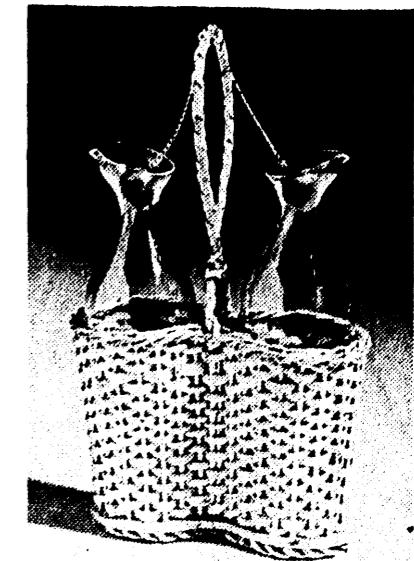


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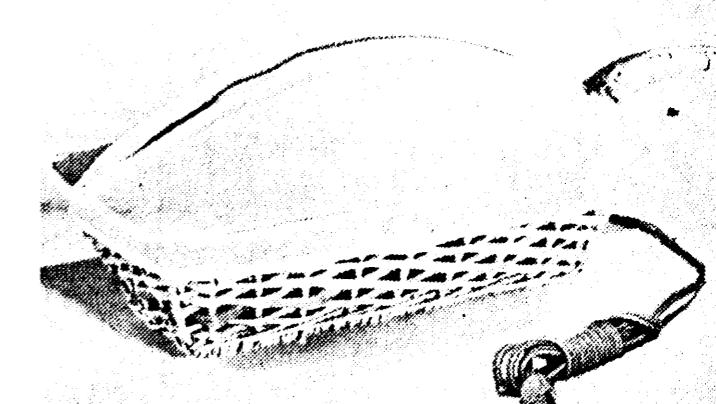
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# Background Report Given By Correspondents On War

**EDITORS' NOTE:** Few men can view the war in Vietnam with the experienced eyes of the Associated Press writers who collaborated on this article. Peter Arnett and Horst Faas have seen Vietnam for many years, and almost every week they have been in the field, separately or together, to record first the efforts of Saigon's armed forces and their campaigns of U.S. and allied forces. They went to South Vietnam in 1962 to cover what was then a small war of insurance. They have seen the growth of the conflict, from 10,000 Americans are committed. Their news coverage has won them Pulitzer prizes. Arnett in reporting and Faas Photography.

By PETER ARNETT  
and HORST FAAS

SAIGON (AP) — In 1962 no one seemed to doubt that the war could be won. It is now five years and many delusions later, and there are still predictions of much the same sort of victory. Delusions still crowd realities.

Hope continues to spring eternal in the breasts of allied authorities.

There can be no surprise, then, when in answer to a particularly pessimistic report on the current pacification program, a U.S. official in Saigon is informed by Washington, "Your report is too leftist and defeatist. Please look for more encouraging aspects."

The search for encouraging aspects has bedeviled the gradual U.S. slide into the Vietnam mire, with the resultant toll of more than 10,000 American dead and \$70-million-a-day expenditure.

In our view, the ever-enlarging U.S. commitment has not been paralleled by an expansion of allied frankness or understanding about the realities of Vietnam today. The claims of progress can be brought into question when measured against the sacrifice of life and material.

However well intended, misjudgment and official deceptions or delusions surrounding the war have not helped its progress.

There is no question about the bravery and skill of allied fighting forces as a whole, but this does not remove doubts about their effectiveness in assigned tasks under the limitations imposed on them.

The enemy has grown steadily. Official statistics placed enemy strength at 30,000 in 1962, at 300,000 today.

Meanwhile, units sorely needed for battles along the borders are often tied up "securing the victories," gained months earlier. The U.S. Army has to move into U.S. Marine territory to drain off pressure.

In only a handful of areas has the Viet Cong guerrilla organization been adequately destroyed. The cost of holding this ground makes the prospect of a pre-ading such security throughout the country almost a tactical impossibility. Millions of American troops would be required on that basis, according to some estimates.

What of the other index of progress, population control? One pacification scheme after another has crumbled, victims of a Vietnamese grass-roots inability to grapple with the clandestine organization of the Viet Cong.

#### ALL AFFECTED

In 1962, some of South Vietnam's 13 million peasantry was affected by the war. Today they all are affected. They plant rice under the bombs, huddle in refugee camps, or cram into the cities.

Nearly two million refugees, one in every seven Vietnamese, live in government resettlement camps.

Many of them had to be resettled after the U.S. Army struck into fertile valleys and plains long Viet Cong haunts. Artillery fire hammers these areas after the people move out.

#### Thomas Road Extension Pact Inked

Pamper Corporation of Crowley has been awarded a \$208,645 contract for work on the Thomas Road Interchange Extension at Interstate 20 in Ouachita Parish, Highway Director A. L. Stewart said Saturday from Baton Rouge.

Stewart said that time limit on the project is four and a half months and that work will begin Wednesday.

The highway director said that contract stipulations call for grading, drainage structures, base course and Portland cement concrete pavement.

The project begins at a point on Thomas Road at the Interstate 20 interchange, then proceeds northerly along Thomas Road for about a half mile to the junction of Thomas Road and State Route-U. S. 80.

J. H. Richey of Monroe will serve as project engineer. The contractor will not be required to provide for or maintain traffic.

The highway director said that contract stipulations call for grading, drainage structures, base course and Portland cement concrete pavement.

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"This is the first short-course that our department is sponsoring. We feel it is appropriate that the first subject that we are examining is building codes. In one way or another, everyone in our state is affected by these codes," Potts stated.

Members of the steering committee for the seminar are:

Russell G. Adams, alderman of Farmerville; A. C. Breckinridge Jr., president of Breck Construction Company of Monroe; Mayor G. Leslie Broussard of Houma, representing the Louisiana Municipal Association; Dr. Daniel E. Dupree, dean of Northeast's School of Pure and Applied Sciences; Ed Freedman, executive secretary of the Northeast Louisiana Contractors Association.

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restrictions are not lessened, the people will rise up against the Koreans, not because the Vietnamese who are growing rich on a war that is only in the back of their minds.

Americans are placing great hopes in presidential elections this year and the modicum of democracy they are supposed to bring. The president-elect's first mission must be to reorganize a civil service that has run down since the French left Vietnam.

Unless an effective administrative body is created the elections will be in vain. Bureaucratic inefficiency would negate any good works the president might do, just as it has negated billions of dollars of U.S. aid programs.

The military have the only workable system in the country.

Even the South Korean forces, who are credited with effective pacification operations in coastal Binh Dinh Province, may lack the key. A government district chief in the region recently wrote a friend in the delta: "The Korean troops are effective and good soldiers. But they are terribly strict and people are comparing them to the Senegalese (part of the French forces, heated during the Indochina war because of barbarities). I feel that one day, if the

people are not lessened, the people will rise up against the Koreans, not because the Vietnamese who are growing rich on a war that is only in the back of their minds.

But these are very much a minority.

Americans such as John Paul Vann, a wiry Texan, formerly a controversial adviser to the Vietnamese army and now civilian chief of U.S. operations in the 3rd Corps region, approach the broad situation with a refreshing candidness.

They feel, as does young Frank Scotton, a troubleshooter who has worked with Vietnamese in the countryside since 1962, that the job can be done over here, that the Communists can be beaten, and that a free Vietnam can emerge. Yet men such as Vann and Scotton have been sickened by the gradual destruction of the Vietnamese

north, nesting alongside mountains, spreading down valleys. A dozen others are on drawing boards.

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rgencies. Some see a

need to invade North Vietnam,

to destroy on the ground an ene-

my capability that has with-

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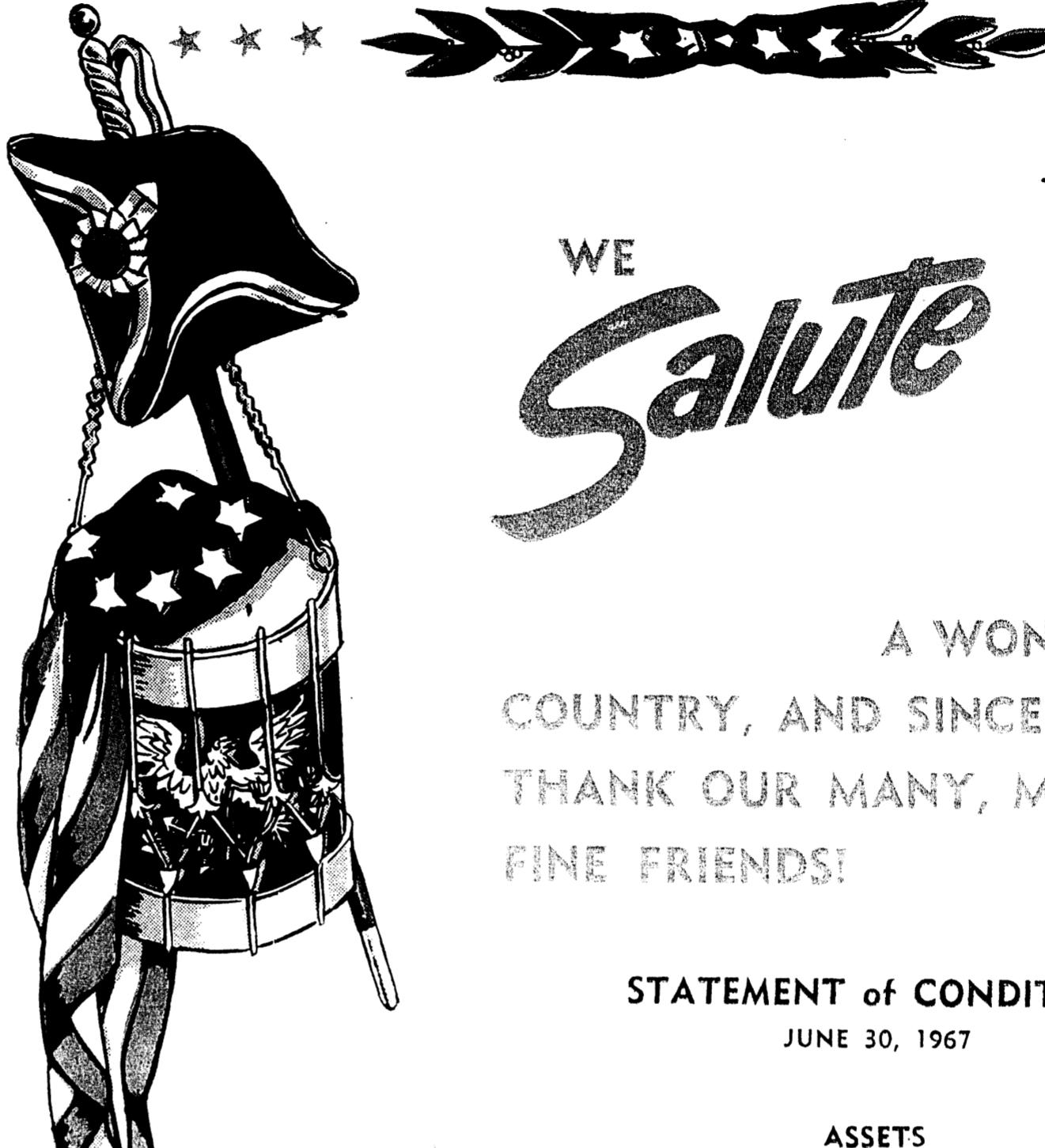
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Loans Secured by Shares	183,395.90
Real Estate Owned	1.00
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	\$ 300,000.00
Time Deposits - Federal Home Loan Bank	450,000.00
U.S. Government Obligations	2,667,649.12
Cash on Hand and in Banks	224,005.69
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment - Less Depreciation	30,860.82
Prepaid Insurance - FSLIC	446,332.62
Other Assets	7,187.25
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$40,158,438.80</b>

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Full Paid Shares	\$14,421,775.33
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Loans in Process	36,079,669.65
Borrowed Money	622,630.09
Advances From Federal Home Loan Bank	NONE
Other Liabilities	500,000.00
Federal Income Tax	31,946.92
Uncared Income	26,947.37
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SIX OF TEN semi-finalists greet standing room only crowd at Neville High School auditorium Saturday night as new Miss Louisiana was named. From left are Miss Louisiana Tech, Sandra K. Beatty; Miss Northeast Louisiana State College, Becky Butler; Miss

North Louisiana Cotton Queen, Susan Carter; Miss Louisiana Watermelon Queen, Deborah Gail Swartz; Miss Beauregard Parish, Donna Gail Perkins, and Miss Greater New Orleans, Genevieve Del Gallo. (Staff photo by Charles Kitchingham)



ON STAGE at Miss Louisiana Pageant at Neville High School auditorium Saturday night where the new state beauty queen was named are, from left, Miss Louisiana Soybean, Mary

Beth Bodker; Miss Franklin Parish, Donna Lynn Barnes; Miss Centenary, Cheryl Maresh and Miss Stock Show, Linda Leotry. (Staff photo by Charles Kitchingham)

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Richard was driving the station wagon. It was demolished.

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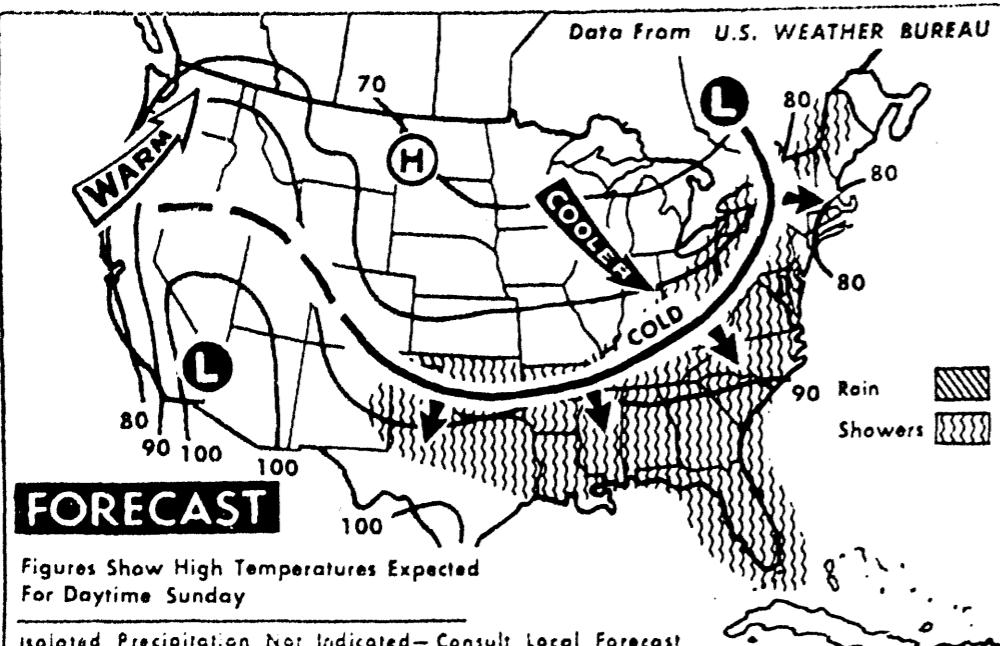
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region to the mid-Mississippi Valley and Plains area. Warmer temperatures are expected in parts of Pacific Northwest. (AP Wirephoto)

#### Forecast

**MONROE AND VICINITY**—Scattered thundershowers this afternoon; more numerous in the high hills. Low to 70°. Rain chance 30 per cent this afternoon. 50 per cent Monday.

**ARKANSAS**—Scattered showers, thundershowers through Saturday.

**NORTH HALF, MISSISSIPPI**—Scattered showers, thunderstorms Monday.

**MONROE READINGS**

High 72  
Low 67  
Precipitation 6.05  
Sunrise today 6:18  
Sunset today 6:05  
Sunrise Monday

**FORMER MAYOR DIES**

**LONDON** (UPI)—Sir George Wilkinson, Lord Mayor of London during the darkest days of the Nazi blitz, died Tuesday at the age of 81, it was announced Saturday.



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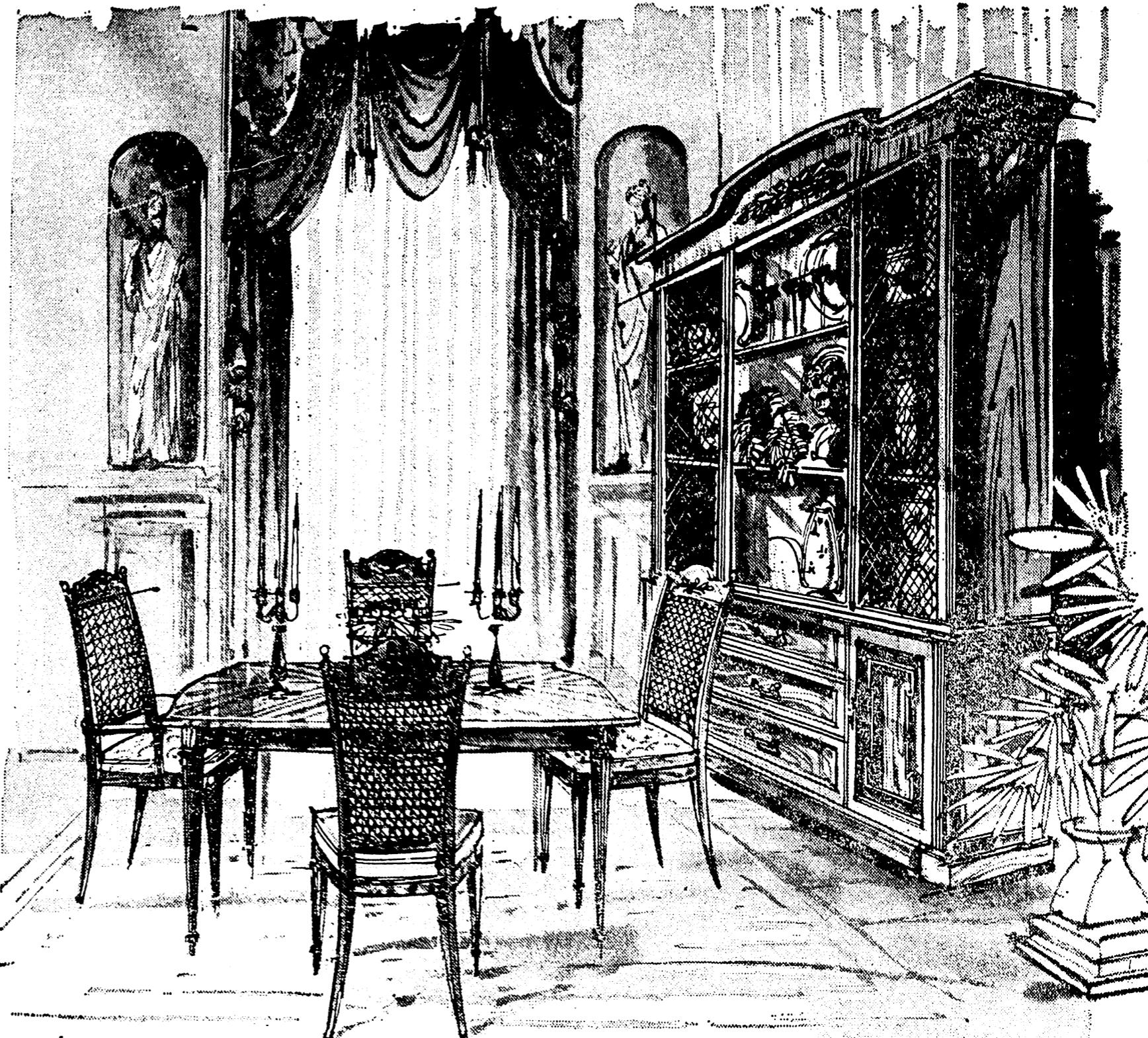
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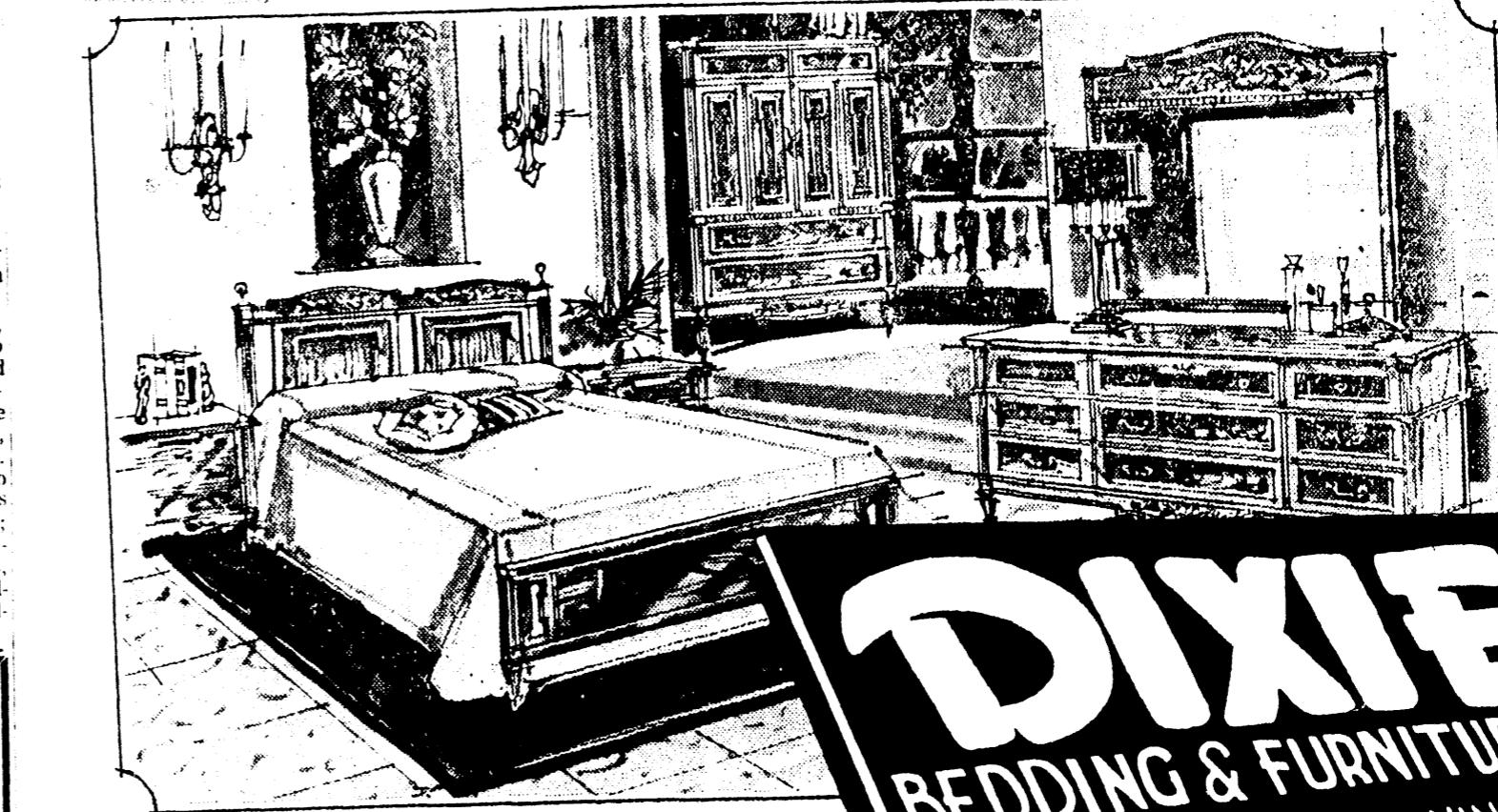
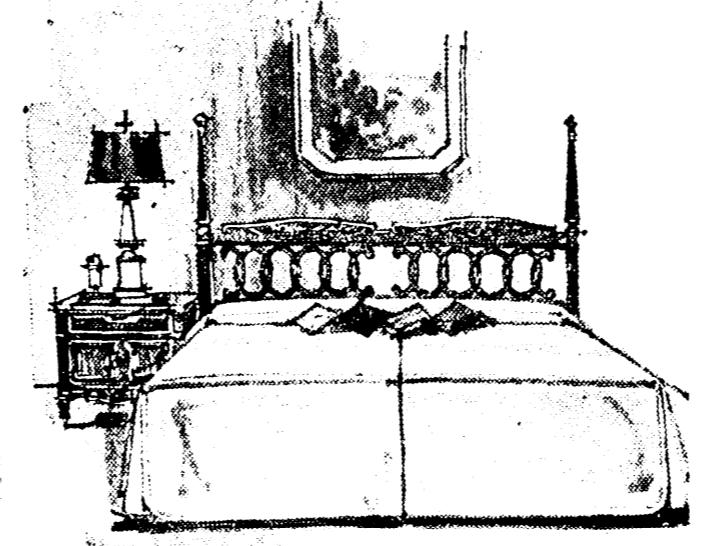
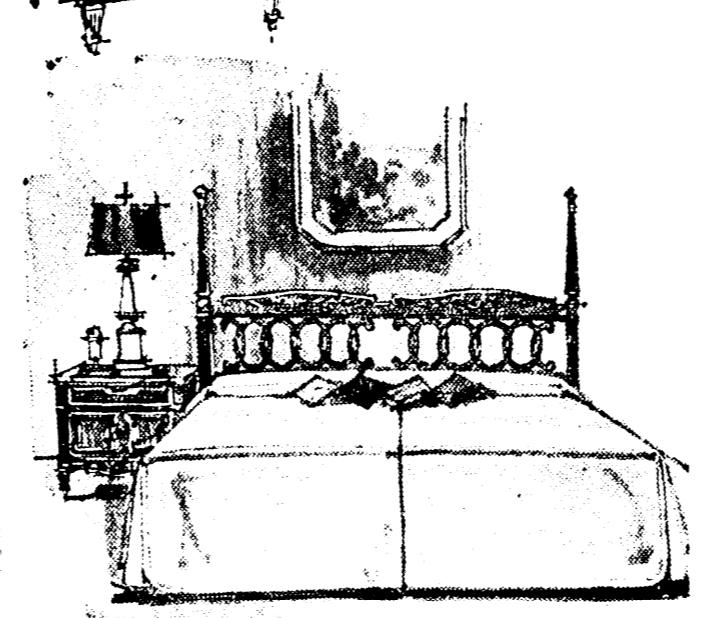


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# Upsets Rule Play At Wimbledon

## Emerson, Pasarelli, Miss Bueno Felled



**YUGOSLAVIA'S NICOLA Pilic makes a backhand return to Roy Emerson of Australia during their fourth round match in men's singles of Wimbledon, England, tennis championships Saturday. Pilic upset Emerson, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3,**

**6-4.** The startling loss wiped out Emerson's hopes of winning all four major singles titles in the same year. Emerson had already won the Australian and French crowns. (AP Wirephoto by cable from London)

**WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Rosemary Casals of San Francisco and Nicola Pilic of Yugoslavia recorded startling upsets over Maria Bueno and Roy Emerson Saturday while the lone remaining American in the men's singles, Charlie Pasarelli, fell to Thomas Koch of Brazil in the Wimbledon Tennis Championships.**

**Miss Casals defeated Miss Bueno, a three-time champion at Wimbledon, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3 and moved into the women's quarter-finals after lightly regarded Pilic smashed Emerson's dream of pulling off tennis' grand slam.**

**Pilic shocked Emerson 6-4, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4, cutting short the Australian's hopes of emulating Don Budge and Rod Laver by winning all four major singles championships.**

**Emerson already has won the Australian and French titles and needed victories at Wimbledon and in the U.S. championships.**

**Pasarelli, who pulled off a stunning upset on the first day of the tournament by knocking off defending champion Manuel Santana of Spain, went down to Koch in five sets 6-4, 4-6, 3-6, 6-4, 8-6 in the last match of the fourth round.**

**Three other American women gained the quarter-finals with Mary Ann Eisel of St. Louis upsetting fifth-seeded Nancy Richey of San Angeles, Tex., 9-7, 9-6, 6-4.**

**Joining Misses Eisel and Casals in the round of eight are top-seeded Billie Jean King of Long Beach, Calif., and Kathy Harter of Seal Beach, Calif.**

**The center court crowd at Wimbledon rose to the support of Miss Casals as she fought back after dropping the first set and ruined the Brazilian's hope of winning her fourth Wimbledon crown in nine years.**

**Miss Bueno won the first game of the third and deciding set, but the 18-year-old American came back, forcing Miss Bueno into three errors at the net. Miss Casals won the next three games, two on Miss Bueno.**

**In another upset in the men's division, Taylor eliminated South Africa's Cliff Drysdale 3-6, 11-9, 6-4, 6-4.**

**In women's play Mrs. King downed Lea Pericoli of Italy 6-1, 6-2, and Miss Harter stopped Jan O'Neill of Australia 6-2, 4-6.**

**no's service, and held the advantage the rest of the way.**

**For the match point Miss Casals lobbed deep to Miss Bueno's backhand, and the Brazilian, running back, tried one of those sudden smashes over her shoulder that have thrilled center court crowds in the past.**

**But this time it didn't work. It went a couple of feet over the baseline, and the match was over.**

**The Koch-Pasarelli match was a cliff-hanger that kept the crowd of 14,000 in a fever of excitement right up to the last shot.**

**In the last game Pasarelli saved one match point and then twice got to within a point of breaking back still another time.**

**But Koch held on and burst into the quarter-finals with Pilic, Roger Taylor of Britain, Wilhelm Bungert of West Germany and four Australians — John Newcombe, Ken Fletcher, John Cooper and Ray Ruffels.**

**Newcombe and Fletcher are the only seeds left from among the eight who started the tournament.**

**Pilic was a surprisingly easy winner over Emerson, a two-time Wimbledon champion. Emerson didn't have his sharp service return nor this speed that has enabled him to win so many matches here.**

**Only in the second set, which he won, did the second-seeded Emerson resemble the talented veteran he usually is. But in the third and again in the fourth set, the Aussie sank back into his apparent lethargy, and the tall Yugoslav left-hander was a winner.**

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**CINCINNATI SECOND baseman Chico Ruiz, fights to keep his balance after snaring pop fly by Cubs Billy Williams in third inning at Wrigley Field. Also pictured are shortstop Tommmp Helms**

**and center fielder Vada Pinson twisting himself out of Ruiz's way. The Cubs won 6-3, their 12th victory in the last 13 games. (AP Wirephoto)**

## Cubs Trip Reds, 6-3, Edge Closer To First

**CHICAGO (AP) — Ron Santo**

**help from Chuck Hartenstein in ahead of Tommy Helms' second**

**homer of the year.**

**Chicago lost the services of first baseman Ernie Banks for a couple of days. Banks was spiked by Pete Rose on a play**

**at first in the fourth inning and suffered a two-inch cut on his**

**right heel.**

**CINCINNATI picked up a run in the fifth on a double by Don Pavletich and a single by pitcher Mel Queen. The Reds tied it**

**in the seventh when Lee May**

**walked with two out and scored**

**one.**

**May**

**hit his second bases**

**homem of the game at the**

**Cubs tallied two wrap runs in**

**the eighth inning after rookie**

**pitcher Rich Nye had doubled**

**in the seventh and scored the tie-**

**breaking run on a two-out single**

**by Glen Beckert.**

**Nye**

**a 22-year-old left-hander,**

**recorded his seventh victory in**

**10 decisions, but needed relief**

**pitcher.**

**Lee**

**May**

**hit his fourth homer.**

**Lee**





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U. S. Government Obligations	10,157,391.44	12,024,540.43
State and Municipal Bonds	7,076,158.69	6,990,010.12
Other Securities	<u>173,341.19</u>	<u>173,408.51</u>
Total Investment Securities	17,406,891.32	19,187,959.06
Loans	37,994,553.27	35,595,631.75
Less Allowance for Possible Loan Loss	(810,948.64)	(778,496.82)
Total Loans	37,183,604.63	34,817,134.90
Bank Premises and Equipment	1,258,720.02	1,257,910.47
Interest Earned Not Collected	385,533.80	358,524.60
Other Assets	59,542.43	55,034.16
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 66,265,207.04</b>	<b>64,712,176.45</b>

### LIABILITIES

	Second Quarter Ended June 30, 1967	First Quarter Ended March 31, 1967
Demand Deposits	\$ 27,494,268.88	25,197,538.54
Savings Deposits	10,237,737.28	9,970,391.66
Time Deposits	19,589,891.38	20,351,786.89
Total Deposits	57,321,897.54	55,519,717.09
Federal Funds Purchased	1,500,000.00	2,000,000.00
Interest Collected Not Earned	1,380,913.03	1,293,044.99
Accrued Taxes and other Expenses	505,719.89	402,511.68
Subsidiary Mortgages Payable	77,583.37	78,310.82
Quarterly Dividend Payable	45,000.00	45,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>60,831,113.83</b>	<b>59,338,584.58</b>

### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital (150,000 shares, \$12.50 par value)	1,875,000.00	1,875,000.00
Surplus	1,875,000.00	1,875,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,684,093.21	1,623,591.87
Total Capital Accounts	5,434,093.21	5,373,591.87
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL</b>	<b>\$ 66,265,207.04</b>	<b>64,712,176.45</b>

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### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT of INCOME

(IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

	Three Months Ended June 30		Six Months Ended June 30		Three Months Ended June 30		Six Months Ended June 30	
	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966
Operating revenue:								
Interest and other fees on loans	\$ 667	546	1,267	1,084				
Interest and dividends on securities	187	213	391	388				
Commissions, fees and other income	107	109	216	214				
Total operating revenue	961	867	1,874	1,686				
Operating expenses:								
Salaries and other compensation	219	205	436	406				
Interest paid	331	321	650	579				
Other operating expenses	240	197	437	384				
Total operating expenses	790	723	1,523	1,369				
Operating earning before income taxes	171	144	351	317				
Income taxes applicable to operating earnings	(46)	(37)	(101)	(78)				
Net operating earnings	\$ 125	107	250	239				
Net operating earnings	\$ 125	107	250	239				
Profit (loss) on securities sold, net of applicable taxes	2	-0-	6	-0-				
Transfer to allowance for possible loan losses, net of reduction in taxes	(21)	-0-	(45)	(12)				
Net amount transferred to undivided profits	106	107	211	227				
Undivided profits, beginning of period	1,623	1,438	1,563	1,363				
Cash dividends	(45)	(45)	(90)	(90)				
Undivided profits, end of period	\$ 1,684	1,500	1,684	1,500				
Net operating earnings per share	\$ .84	.71	1.67	1.59				
Book value per share	\$ .30	.30	.60	.60				
Dividends per share	\$ .30	.30	.62	.62				
Average daily deposits	\$ 56,664	56,732	56,973	56,326				
Average daily loans	\$ 37,484	31,288	36,036	31,183				

NOTES:  
(1) The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Central Bank and its wholly-owned bank premises subsidiary, Central Co., Inc.  
(2) The stock of this bank is registered in compliance with Regulations F of the Federal Reserve System pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act.

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# Major League Leaders

Major League Batting Averages  
By The Associated Press  
Compiled through Saturday, July 1, 1967

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

### TEAM BATTING

#### BOSTON

#### BALTIMORE

#### DENVER

#### CHICAGO

#### MILANO

#### KANSAS CITY

#### CALIFORNIA

#### WASHINGTON

#### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

#### (125 or more bats)

#### AB R H HR RBI Pct.

#### F. Robinson Bsn 252 .54 85 21

#### Vasquez Bsn 251 .45 83 19

#### Killeen Cln 250 .45 83 19

#### Carew Min 250 .45 83 19

#### Conigliaro Bsn 191 .50 88 10

#### Biloxi Phn 249 .45 83 19

#### Mincher Cal 234 .47 70 12

#### Petroczi Bal 229 .47 66 12

#### Herrera Cln 223 .47 66 12

#### Northrup Del 223 .47 66 12

#### Tovar Min 287 .45 83 18

#### Friedman Del 223 .45 83 18

#### Scott Bsn 253 .25 55 10

#### Berry Cln 250 .35 75 4

#### G. Peterman Was 219 .35 75 4

#### Peplino Cln 248 .25 66 12

#### Alvin Cln 278 .34 75 4

#### Castroval Was 273 .34 74 7

#### Fregosi Cal 273 .34 74 7

#### Webster KC 170 .21 46 3

#### Davidson Del 170 .21 46 3

#### Andrews Bsn 218 .35 58 12

#### Cash Del 222 .25 59 5

#### Kilmer Min 222 .25 59 5

#### Rollins Min 172 .45 59 12

#### Powell Bal 222 .32 58 5

#### Ellecherman Bal 201 .25 58 5

#### Campbell KC 274 .45 58 12

#### B. Robinson Bal 274 .45 58 12

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#### Henry Bsn 249 .34 54 13

#### Saveringe Was 199 .15 35 0

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#### Snyder Bal 221 .22 33 4

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#### Johnson Bal 224 .21 30 9

#### Wert Del 292 .32 32 7

#### Whitehead NY 224 .41 55 10

#### Agen Cln 224 .41 55 10

#### Hinton Cln 256 .24 54 12

#### Clarkie NY 258 .27 43 4

#### Manly NY 198 .33 48 14

#### Wade Cln 224 .29 33 3

#### Ward Cln 224 .29 33 3

#### Tarabull Bal 141 .15 45 10

#### Reichard Cln 246 .29 33 9

#### Golds Kln 246 .29 33 9

#### Arabolo Cln 247 .29 33 9

#### Rodgers Cln 198 .11 47 3

#### Miller Del 200 .11 47 3

#### Olive Min 191 .22 43 8

#### Cardinal Cal 239 .22 54 4

#### McGraw Cln 248 .22 54 4

#### Knopf Min 246 .21 57 4

#### Unruh Min 265 .21 57 4

#### Whitfield Cln 201 .21 55 8

#### McGowen Was 222 .21 55 8

#### Amaro NY 177 .22 59 10

#### Adair Bal 149 .11 33 1

#### Groves Del 149 .11 33 1

#### Stanley Del 127 .12 27 3

#### Sims Cln 127 .11 27 3

#### Van Der Was 193 .11 27 3

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#### R. Smith Bsn 232 .28 47 4

#### D. Smith Bsn 249 .28 47 4

#### Hansen Cln 229 .16 36 4

#### Johnstone Cln 133 .16 36 4

#### Smith Cln 201 .17 40 3

#### Brillman Was 142 .10 28 3

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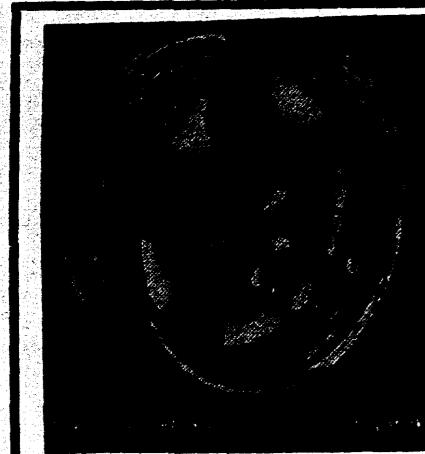
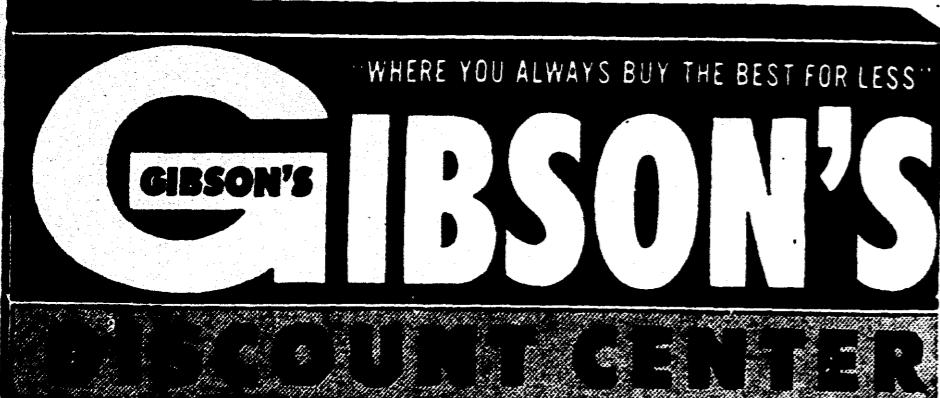
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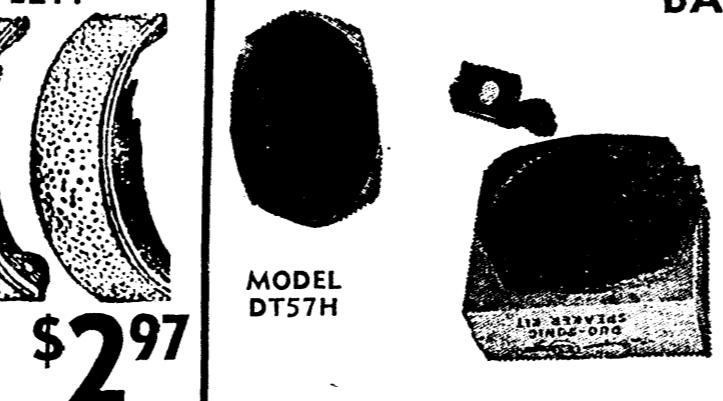
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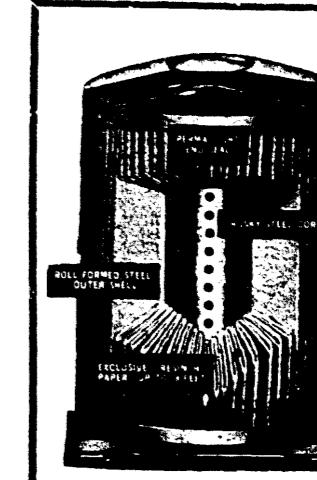
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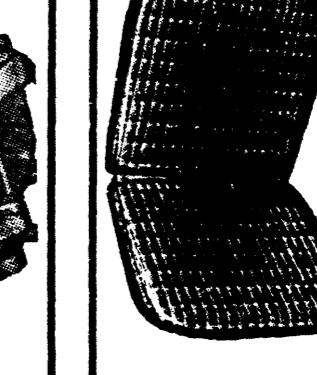
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## **STATEMENT of CONDITION**

at the close of business June 30, 1967

### **ASSETS**

Cash and Due From Banks .....	\$2,937,966.05
U. S. Government Securities .....	1,286,590.61
Other Securities .....	1,226,016.53
Loans and Discounts .....	10,113,999.34
Furniture and Fixtures .....	97,075.25
Other Assets .....	<u>375,353.08</u>
 TOTAL ASSETS .....	 \$16,037,000.86

### **LIABILITIES**

DEPOSITS .....	\$13,981,231.04
Reserve For Interest on Time Deposits ..	78,325.68
Reserve For Taxes .....	24,000.00
Unearned Discount .....	237,922.71
Capital .....	750,000.00
Surplus .....	500,000.00
Undivided Profits and Reserves .....	<u>465,521.43</u>

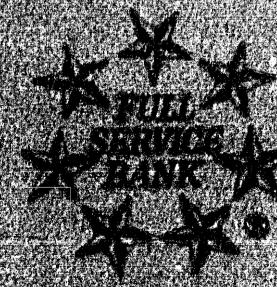
TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; CAPITAL FUNDS \$16,037,000.86

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# The World For WOMEN

Sunday, July 2, 1967



Above: Solemnized Saturday, July 1 in St. John's Catholic Church in Shreveport, was the wedding of Miss Tyrette Lynn May and Bruce Dudley Cowan. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert May of Shreveport and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cowan, Ruston, formerly of Monroe. Following a wedding trip through the Smoky Mountains the couple will be at home in Shreveport where Mr. Cowan is employed. Both are graduates of Louisiana Tech and the bride teaches in Shreveport.

At right: An arch of votive candles in six candelabra, entwined with magnolia foliage and flanked by baskets of white gladioli formed an altar setting in Memorial Presbyterian Church, West Monroe, for the wedding of Miss Mary Jan Spurlock and John Bonar Woodburn Jr., Thursday, June 29 at 8 p.m. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thad Spurlock, 500 Crosley, West Monroe and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John Bonar Woodburn, 3614 Pargoud Blvd., Monroe. A reception followed at Highland Park Country Club, after which the couple departed for a wedding trip to Dallas, Tex. They will be at home in Monroe.



Above: Miss Carol Ann Peters, daughter of Mrs. Leslie Peters, 2907 Oliver Road and the late Mr. Peters, became the bride of William P. Reynolds III, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Pete Reynolds, 320 McKinley, in a candlelight ceremony Thursday, June 29 in Highland Park Baptist Church. Upon return from their wedding trip to Hot Springs, Ark., the couple will be at home at Malibu West Apts., West Monroe. The bride, a senior in Medical Technology at Northeast, will begin internship at St. Francis Hospital in July. Mr. Reynolds is a junior in business administration at Northeast, while also employed in the city.

Below: Amid a setting of burning white tapers in branched candelabra and baskets of white gladioli on the altar of Lakeshore Baptist Church, Miss Carol Sue Head became the bride of Roger Dale Martin at 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 30. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Douglas T. Head and the late Mr. Head and parents of Mr. Martin are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Martin, all of Monroe. After a brief wedding trip the couple will be at home in Monroe.



At left: The wedding of Miss Carolyn Kay Paylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paylor Jr., of Monroe, to Donald Wayne Herring, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Herring of St. Augustine, Fla., was solemnized at 8 p.m. Friday, June 30 in Jackson Street Church of Christ. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. A. L. Paylor, 1601 Park Ave. The couple will reside in Monroe while Mr. Herring, who is minister of the Goodwill Church of Christ in Goodwill, will continue his studies at Northeast this fall.







MISS WANDA DIANNE BRISTER

## Announcement Tea Honors Bride-To-Be Dianne Brister

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Andrew was centered with an arrangement of pink sensation roses. Presiding at the silver punch bowl were Mrs. Willis Martin and Mrs. T. A. Sanders Jr., and alternating at the silver coffee service opposite were Mrs. Roy Brooks and Mrs. O. W. Getchell. Tea girls were Miss Drew Brister, sister of the bride-elect and Miss Latie Patterson.

The engagement was revealed at an announcement tea held Sunday afternoon, June 25 in the home of Mrs. Howard Barker on Dupont Circle in D'Arboine Hills, West Monroe. Hostesses with Mrs. Barker for the occasion were aunts of the bride-elect, Mrs. E. J. Lewis of Ruston and Mrs. George Cummings of Tallulah.

The wedding is calendarized for August 11 to be solemnized at 7:30 p.m. in First Methodist Church of West Monroe with Rev. Kenneth McDowell officiating. A reception will follow in the church parlor.

For her announcement party Miss Brister wore a trousseau model of white embroidered eyelet, in modified tent style over a pink cotton satin sheath, with matching accessories and a corsage of pink feathered carnations presented by her hostesses.

Approximately 200 guests who called during the appointed hours of 3 until 6 p.m. were greeted in the foyer by Mrs. Barker. A massive arrangement of Talisman roses in a crystal container, footed in gold, provided the keynote for the white and cameo pink bridal appointments throughout the reception area. A traditional kissing ball atop a carved China epergne with clusters of green grapes an framed in a curve of Japanese yew graced the registry table.

Receiving guests with the bride-elect were her mother, the mother of her fiance, maternal grandmothers, Mrs. Sidney L. Campbell of Shreveport and Mrs. Corinne Klein-schmidt of West Monroe and the paternal grandmothers, Mrs. Walter A. Brister Sr., of Bunkie and Mrs. Ethel Thompson of West Monroe.

Presiding at the guest book were Miss Debbie Brister, sister of the bride-elect and Miss Sara Thompson, sister of the future groom. On the glassed-in porch overlooking the lake, this especially appointed table was adorned with a burning white memory candle placed in a silver candelabra and surrounded with a garland of pink roses and eucalyptus greenery.

In the dining area a long serving table, covered with a white embroidered Belgian linen cloth,

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGE of Miss Karen Ann Pierce and Robert Mallory Lancaster, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce of Waterproof. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lancaster of Clayton. An August 25 wedding is planned in First Baptist Church of Waterproof with Rev. Larry Fields, New Orleans, officiating.

## Carol Ann Peters Is Bride Of William P. Reynolds III

Miss Carol Ann Peters, daughter of Mrs. Leslie Peters, 2907 Oliver Road, and the late Mr. Peters, became the bride of William P. Reynolds III, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Pete Reynolds, 320 McKinley, in a double ring ceremony Thursday, June 29 in Highland Park Baptist Church.

### BRIDAL PARTY

Miss Brister has chosen Mrs. Jimmy Robinson of Pineville, to serve as her matron of honor and Miss Debbie Brister, as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Miss Jackie Cheek of Pineville and Miss Sara Thompson, junior bridesmaid will be Miss Drew Brister. Flower girls will be Misses Donna and Danna Brister, twin sisters of the bride-elect, both with their mothers, Walter A. Brister III, will serve as ring bearer. Chosen as candlelighters are Misses Irene and Kathleen Baker of Pineville.

Mr. Thompson has been named by his son to serve as best man. Ushers and groomsmen will include Stephen West, Memphis, Tenn., Ronald Girlinghouse, Pineville; Richard Johnson and Larry Hilburn, West Monroe.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Sidney L. Campbell and the late Mr. Campbell of Shreveport and Mrs. Walter A. Brister Sr., of Bunkie. She is a graduate of West Monroe high school and attended Louisiana Polytechnic Institute.

Mr. Thompson is the grandson of Mrs. Corinne Klein-schmidt and the late Charles E. Holstead and Mrs. John Thompson and the late Mr. Thompson, all of West Monroe. A graduate of West Monroe high school and is presently attending Northeast Louisiana State College where he is a junior majoring in accounting. Following their marriage the couple will reside in West Monroe.

### COOL IT

New Orleans molasses punch makes a refreshing hot weather drink. Combine 1 cup of light cream and 1/4 cup of molasses in pitcher or small punch bowl. Just before serving, stir in 1 quart of well-chilled ginger ale. Pour into punch cups or glasses and top each with a small scoop of vanilla ice cream. Makes about 8 servings.

### RECEPTION

At the reception which followed in the church social room, Mrs. Peters received her guests wearing a dress of ice blue lace over crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of blue gladiolas. Mrs. Reynolds, mother of the groom, wore a powder blue crepe model with matching hat, white accessories

and a matching glamelia corsage.

Arrangements of white gladioli were used throughout the reception room and centering the lace covered punch table was a mass of white English daisies, flanked by silver candelabras with yellow tapers. Presiding at silver punch bowls at either end were Mrs. Russell Funderburk, cousin of the bride; Mrs. Wayne McKinnie, sister of the groom; Mrs. Harry L. Wyatt, aunt of the bride and Mrs. Tommy Head.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Fred C. Peters. She wore a floor length gown of white peau de soie fashioned along Empire lines with a flowing Watteau train of Alencon lace. The bodice of peau, overlaid with the lace, featured a scalloped neckline and three quarter bell sleeves of unlined lace. Her veil was a mantilla of Alencon lace which fell over the shoulders from a band of white pearls. She carried a Mexican handmade cascade of white seed pearls and satin leaves, accented with garlands of feathered white chrysanthemums and centered with a white cattleya orchid corsage. For adornment she wore a diamond drop necklace and pearl earrings.

Mrs. Gary Huckabay of Colorado Springs, Colo., who attended her sister as matron of honor, wore a floor length gown of daffodil yellow organza that caged a silhouette of yellow peau de soie. Peau de soie bows with streamers attached to a small matching crown formed her headpiece and completing her costume were matching peau de soie shoes and long white gloves. Miss Connie Yancey, maid of honor and Miss Mary Reynolds, sister of the groom, bridesmaid, were dressed identically to Mrs. Huckabay. Each carried a nosegay of white Shasta daisies accented with yellow tulle and ribbons.

Mr. Reynolds served as best man for his son and groomsman were Wayne McKinnie and Tommy Head. Ushers were Gary L. Huckabay of Colorado Springs, Richard Moore and Dale Olsen.

### ARTY SWIMSUITS

The white shirt with its button-down collar is giving way to long-point and spread collars, to fresh colorings in patterns and bold stripes.

One reason: new elegance in men's suits featuring waist-shaped single-breasted and the return of the double-breasted.



MISS JUDITH ANNETTE AVERY

## Late August Vows Planned By Judith Avery, Fiance

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avery, 101 Pinewood Drive, West Monroe, announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith Annette to Sammy Brewster. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Brewster, Good Hope Road, West Monroe.

The wedding will be an event of August 31 at 7 p.m. in Southside Methodist Church with Rev. Lea Joyner performing the ceremony.

Miss Linda Traweek has been chosen by the bride-elect to serve as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Misses Patti Avery, Betsy Einhorn and Jeanne Wilson, with Miss Cindy Johnston serving as flower girl. Gary Brewster will attend the bridegroom as best man and groomsmen will be Roy Grain, Jimmy Aulds and Percy Ford. Khon Crawford will act as ring bearer and Bill Coggins III will light the candles.

Miss Avery is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sampson Tedeton, Calhoun and John Avery and the late Mrs. Avery, West Monroe. A graduate of West Monroe high school, she is now a sophomore at Northeast.

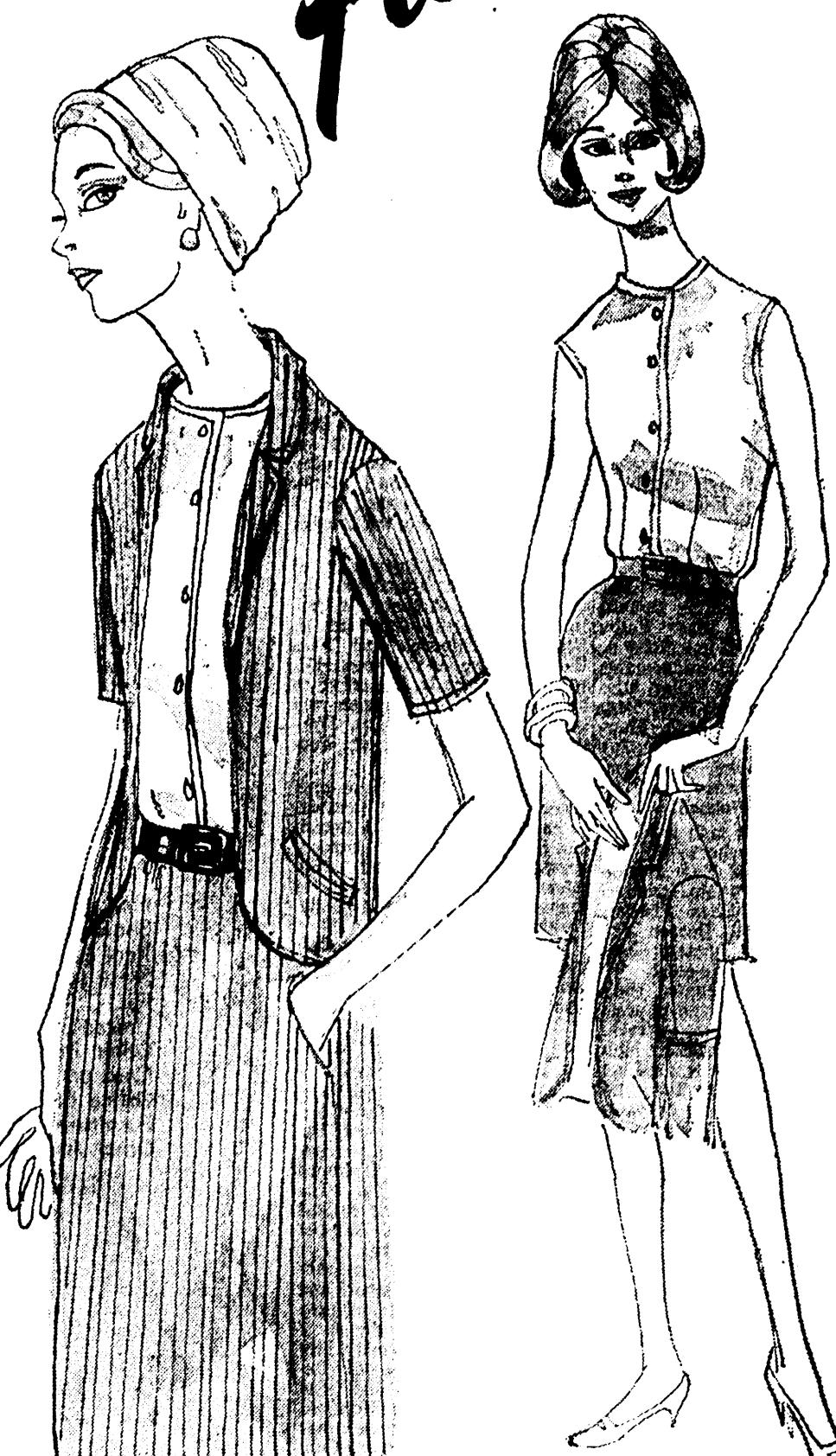
The prospective bridegroom is the grandson of J. M. Steward, Pioneer and the late Mrs. Steward and the late Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Brewster. Mr. Brewster was graduated from West Monroe high school, attended Louisiana Tech and will be a junior



MISS BONITA ANN MYATT'S engagement to Marion David Bagwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Bagwell, Harris Road, West Monroe, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. Myatt, 102 Canyon Road, Western Hills, West Monroe. The wedding will be performed August 24 at 7:30 p.m. in Ridge Avenue Baptist Church by Rev. H. L. Sampson.

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## Jo Copeland Styles

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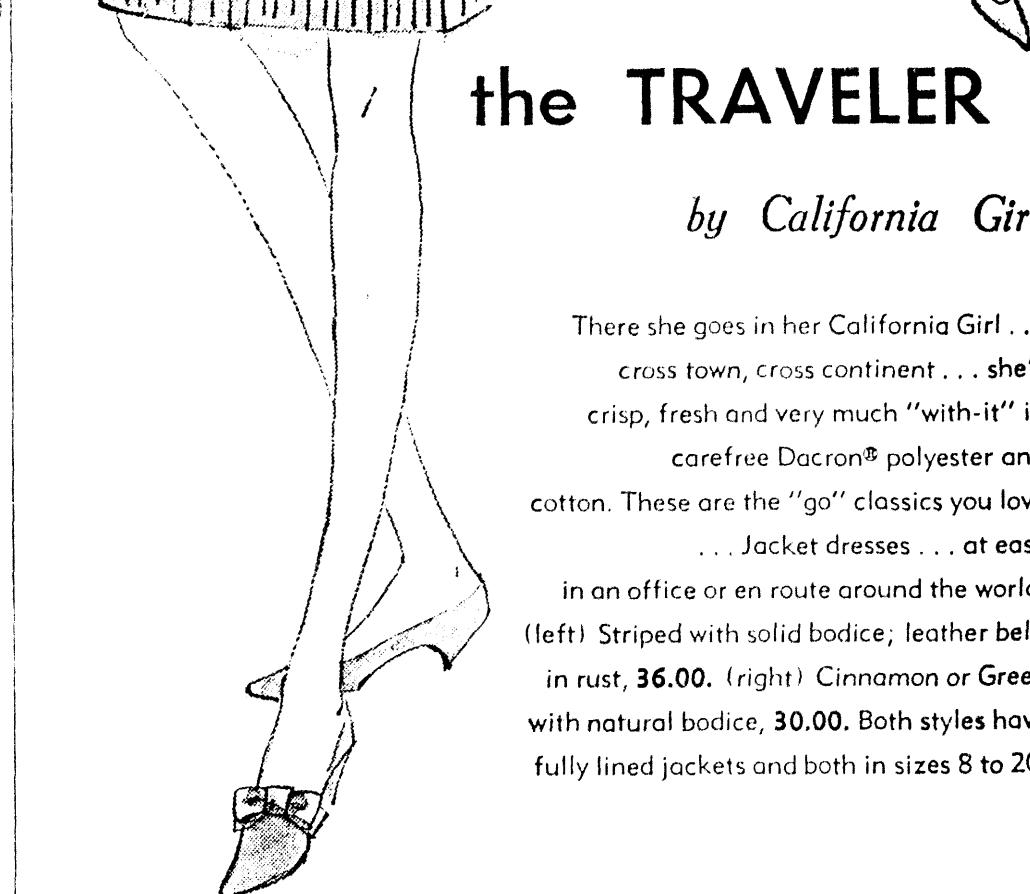
NEW YORK — Fashion critics who mutter that there's no romance left in fashion because of mini-skirts, over-exposure, etc., are in for a delightful surprise in the collection for summer at Pappaloo — Jo Copeland

Jo Copeland, the designer who has always remained foursquare behind ladylike, feminine charm, comes into her own with the summer collection which spells out romance for daytime or evening.

One of the most romantic of evening dresses appears in Jo Copeland's accordian - pleated full-length skirt of white heavy crepe, topped with a sleeveless and ever-so-brief bodice sparkling with rhinestones. It's a dress that could waltz in the grand manner, now that waltzes are "in" again — or glide beautifully to contemporary music.

Miss Copeland has been a hold-out against the too-short, too-exposed fashions that have caught more headlines than admirers.

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ANNOUNCEMENT is made by Mr. and Mrs. Turner B. Branch, Rayville, of the engagement of their daughter, Darla Dawn Branch to Rodney Edward Brasher, son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Brasher Sr., of Monroe. An August 19 wedding is planned in Grace Baptist Church of Rayville, with Rev. H. L. Weeks performing the ceremony.



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## Plans For Summer Weddings Announced For Brides-To-Be

**CHANDLER-DEASON** announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Colvin and Mrs. M. L. Walden of Condeon of Dubach, announce verse. The future groom is the engagement and approach son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Deason of their daughter, Lezca Jr. of Stratford, Conn. Connie Delores to Milton Harrell. Vows will be exchanged at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Camden, Ark. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton at Converse.

**HAROLD CHANDLER** of Ruston, La., will attend her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. Lawrence E. Higgins of Monroe and Miss Cheryl Brown of Converse. Edward S. Burnett Jr. will serve as best man and groomsmen will be Lawrence E. Higgins, Monroe and Bobby Patrick. Converse as ring bearer will be Chris Colvin of Dubach.

**NAMED AS BEST MAN** is Harry Holloway and ushers will be Noel Daniels and Ray Alexander. All of Farmerville Grooms men will be Charles Frazier, Jr., Ernest E. Deason, both brothers of the bride-elect.

**MARY BETH BURNHAM** of Dubach high school and is presently attending Louisiana Tech. A graduate of Ruston high school, Mr. Chandler was a June graduate of Louisiana Tech and is now employed as an accountant for International Paper Co. in Camden, Ark., where the couple will reside.

**KORDSMEIER-CON** Engagement of Miss Linda Carole Cox and Leo Henry Kordsmeier Jr., both of Monroe and seniors at Northeast Louisiana State College, is announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Cox of Shreveport. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henry Kordsmeier of Little Rock, Ark.

An August 26 wedding is planned for a nuptial mass at 3 p.m. in Christ the King Chapel on Northeast Campus. The Rev. Blaise D'Antoni, Newman Club chaplain, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Cox attended St. Vincent's Academy in Shreveport and will graduate in January with a degree in education from Northeast. Her fiancee is graduated from Catholic high De School in Little Rock, attended Little Rock University and is now a graduate senior in the School of Pharmacy at Northeast, where he will receive his degree in May. He was Newman Club president for 1966-67.

Miss Mary Katherine Martzell of Shreveport, will attend the wedding as maid of honor and top bridesmaids will be her sister, Miss Dianne Cox and Miss Marlene Kordsmeier, sister of her fiancee. Serving as best man will be Daniel Windson of Little Rock and ushers will be William Kordsmeier of Little Rock, brother of the future groom and Walter Lotz, of New Orleans.

Following their marriage, the couple will reside at 5204 De Siard in Monroe.

### LEZCA-WALDEN

A July 15 wedding is planned by Miss Connie Lee Walden and Ronald Alexander Lezca, whose forthcoming marriage is an St. Laurent's new collection.

## Engagements Announced

### TEMPLE-MONCRIEF

State College, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Moncrief, a graduate of Greenville high school and also currently a member of their daughter, Brenda tending Northeast. Mr. Temple Faye, to William Ronald Temple is the grandson of Mrs. Maggie sisters, Mrs. JoAnn Handlin, as mate of honor and Miss Marty Shannon, bridesmaid. Tommy wedding will take place on September 2 at 6 p.m. in Vicksburg. Announcement is made today of the forthcoming marriage of Tynes will serve as best man over and groomsman will be Albert times.

Miss Moncrief, granddaughter daughter of Mrs. Bertha Shannon, of Mrs. M. V. Emerson, Mobile, Ala., graduated from Vidalia's home to Harvey John Chita Parish high school. Mr. reside in Monroe while Mr. and a bolero jacket of the same high school and is now a stu-Carsey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carsey attended Northeast and Carsey continues studies at Northeast Louisiana Harvey Carsey, 4601 South is presently enrolled at Louisi-

### Grand.

The wedding will be performed by Rev. Wade B. East, superintendent of the home, on August 18 at 6 p.m. in the Children's Home Chapel. Attending the bride will be her mother, Mrs. JoAnn Handlin, as matron of honor and Miss Marty Shannon, bridesmaid. Tommy

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Miss Elsie Rebecca Shannon, Kelly, chosen as ushers are Gerald King and Courtney Kelly.

Both are graduates of Ouachita Tech in Ruston. Following belted waistline, worn with a

long-sleeved citrus chiffon blouse

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by Marillyn Taylor

Here we are at Fourth of July already . . . when cotton crops should be knee-high . . . when league-leading teams begin to dream of the pennant . . . when nothing seems suitable or timely than brass bands and bathing beauties . . . 'Tis also the middle of deep summer, with travelers traveling, visitors visiting, campers camping and families moving in and out of town. Social calendars are filled with parties welcoming of bidding farewell.

Welcoming parties were planned by CLARICE JOHNS honoring her two nieces, LINDA BARBER and GAIL BARBER, who have recently moved to Monroe from New Orleans. With their mother, PERSIS BARBER, they are making their home on Emerson street.

Two parties were planned on consecutive days at the Johns residence, 3906 Deborah drive. Wednesday's affair honored Gail, and guests were girls who will be her classmates in the tenth grade at Neville this fall. On Thursday, rising seventh graders at Lee junior high were invited to meet Linda. A "hot pink" theme was set for the parties by the invitations, written on brilliantly pink paper.

Food and flowers echoed the color theme. In the living room, bright pink teacup roses were arranged in a white metal candelabra. Deep pink crepe myrtle filled a mammoth copper bowl which decorated the patio. Centering the dining room table was a three-tiered crystal container overflowing with Maytime petunias in the hot pink shade. On the marble serving counter, deep pink crepe myrtle filled a white tureen. Served with berry punch was served at either end of the table. The honorees' mother, Persis Barber, and grandmother, PERSIS JOHNS, presided at the punch bowls. Other goodies included melon balls and finger foods, with pink and white kisses prepared by the girls themselves. About thirty-five attended each party.

About back-to-back were farewell parties given on Wednesday by PATTI HARTMAN, honoring her neighbors who left Thursday for their new home in Baton Rouge. In the afternoon, JACKIE RUTH O'NEAL was honored at a conversational hour attended by nine girls. That evening, MIKE O'NEAL and some twenty friends were invited for an informal party. Both affairs were held at the Hartman home on Amalie drive.

Both hail and farewell was the party at the home of MONA and JACK TARVER last Saturday night. The supper was planned by Mona's bridge club to welcome home a former member, PAT MADDEN and husband JACK, here from North Carolina to spend the summer; and to say goodbye to member CATHERINE GARFIELD, who leaves soon with husband LEON for their new home in Kankakee, Illinois. Each member of the club brought a specialty for the buffet, with the completed menu including boiled shrimp, baked beans, choice of salad and dessert. Bridge games followed supper.

With the "Miss Louisiana" pageant winding up last night, and the selection of the charming young lady who will represent us in Atlantic City in September, CAROLINE MASUR can draw a free breath — just a day or two. Caroline, who directs our pageant so capably, is off to judge another later this week. She will be one of the five judges, the only one from Louisiana, charged with the responsibility of selecting "Miss Missouri". That pageant is set for this coming week, beginning Wednesday, July 5, with the finals Saturday night.

Visitors in town last week were THELMA ROSAMUND, her daughter, THELMA WHITE, and grandchildren, KEVEN and BETH, from Houston, Texas. They left on Monday after a week's visit with Thelma's children, CODY and PHIL, ROSAMUND, CHARLES and JIM. During their stay, they were entertained at several informal parties.

MARTHA and STEWART SCOTT and son DON invited the Rosamunds' guests for a boatride on the Ouachita, with a supper served upriver. WAENA MAYO was hostess for luncheon at her home, also honoring these visitors. Roses and pink crepe myrtle centered the table for eight. Waena served ham with a string-bean and sour cream casserole, frozen fruit salad, and for dessert, peanut butter pie.

Home again after a three weeks tour through the West are ELEANOR SUDDUTH and LENA ROSE. They travelled by jet, stopping first at San Francisco, where they were guests of the Mark Hopkins. They saw all the sights in Baghdad on the Bay as well as visiting relatives in Rio del Mar and Stockton. Proceeding to Beverly Hills, they stopped there at the Beverly Crest. They were guests of Doc Merman for a tour of 20th Century Fox, where they watched Charlton Heston filming scenes for his new movie, and had lunch at the studio restaurant. They al'dine'd at the Teau, Le Bistro, and La Scala. Next stop was Las Vegas, where they stayed at the Sands. They were guests of Mrs. Red Skelton at her table to watch Red's show. The next day, Eleanor's son



AN AUGUST 5 wedding is planned by Miss Nancy Carroll Colvin and Richard Louis Tubbs, whose engagement is announced today. She is the daughter of Mrs. James Beverly Colvin and the late Mr. Colvin of Bernice and parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Tubbs of Dallas, Texas. Both are students at Louisiana Tech where Miss Colvin is a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority. Mr. Tubbs will graduate this summer in marketing, following which the couple will be at home in January.

Another guest from Canton was JANET EDWARDS, who was the guest of her daughter-in-law and son, SANDRA JO and RONNIE MARX.

BLATE at their home on Jamar drive. She arrived a few days later than the Fleischers, returned with them to Canton the first of this week.

Among the social affairs planned in honor of these visitors was a luncheon at Bayou DeSiard country club, with WIMA MARX, CAROL MARX, and LYNN COHEN, hostesses . . . MRS. ALBERT MARX complimented the guests with luncheon at the Paragon . . . A boatride on the Ouachita given by the JOE MARX, JR., and SACKMAN MARX families delighted the visitors . . . Lil Mary invited the ladies for luncheon at Bayou DeSiard country club . . . Sandra entertained at a family dinner party at home.

Arriving Friday for a visit were FAY and J. D. WINK and their sons, KEVIN and JAY, who now live in Westfield, New Jersey. They will be guests of the boy's grandmothers, MRS. E. B. TODD and MRS. IVYE WINK, while in the Twin Cities for about two weeks.

Back from two weeks in Houston, Texas, are NELL FAUCETT and her daughter, LESLIE, who visited Nell's sister, LESLIE GLASS, and son JIMMY FAUCETT, who is living and working there this summer.

Nell reports that highlights of the trip were a trip to Bayou Bend Museum; baseball at the Astrodome; and an evening at the Warwick club and Market Square, a reconstructed section of Houston as a frontier town.

Another homecoming of Monrovia this week was ZANONA FLINN, who returned from a trip to visit her children, ANN and HALL PEYTON, CLIFTON and HANK in South Dartmouth, Massachusetts.

Highlight of her stay was a visit to EXPO 67 in Montreal.

Many of our young people are off to camp at this time of year. At Natchitoches are Neville's varsity cheerleaders, attending a school for cheering at Northwestern State College. In the group are JUDY BAKER, KAITHY COBB, SANDY ZOLLINGER, ROSANNE YARBOROUGH, ANN SHERROUSE, and MARY ANN WALKER.

At Camp Gulfpark in Gulfport, Mississippi, are LIBBY ELLIS, SHARRON WOODS, GINGER van VECHTEN, LISA LIMA, MELANIE MILLAPS, LORELL KUSIN, LENEL VAN VECHTEN, RANDY LOWE of Vicksburg, NORA HOOD, MAKER, DEBBIE van VECHTEN, BECKY WILLIAMS, WINN PATRICK of Tallulah, PAM BRECKENRIDGE.

Boys who left last week for Camp Alpine in Mentone, Alabama, are JEFF ARMSTRONG and JIMMY ARMSTRONG of West Monroe; JAY AYCOCK, JOHN LEDBETTER, COLE EUNSON, JEFF AYCOCK, DANIEL SARTOR, CAL FOLDS, FRANK SARTOR, BRUCE MACARTHUR, JIM GEISLER, DENIS BROWN, and JACK COLE.

For the Fourth of July, here is a poem by Stephen Vincent Benét:

I have fallen in love with American names.

The sharp names that never get fat,

The snakeskin titles of mining claims,

The plumed warbonnet of Medicine Hat,

Tucson and Deadwood and Lost Mine Flat.

Seine and Pieave are silver spoons;

But the spoonbow metal is thin and worn.

There are English counties like hunting tuns;

Played on the keys of a post-boy's horn.

But I will remember where I was born.

I will remember Carquinez Straits,

Little French Lick and Lundy's Lane.

The Yankee ships and the Yankee dates,

And the bullet-towns of Calamity Jane.

I will remember Skunktown Pham.

I shall not rest quiet in Mont-

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MRS. JAMES BURCH STEVEN

## Northeast Students Exchange Vows In Afternoon Ceremony

Vows uniting in marriage. Her headpiece was a crescent of yellow pom-poms and she carried a white basket of yellow petals.

Mr. Steven served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Jerry E. Martin, Edward Davy, Billy Ray Smith, all of Winnsboro and Bobby Dampier of Wisner. Harry Benjamin Steven, brother of the groom and John David Carpenter, Ruston, were ushers. Sydney James Smith, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer.

Large baskets of white chrysanthemums alternated at candelabra formed a setting at the altar where Rev. John H. Carlberg performed the double ring vows. Beneath the Celtic cross was an arrangement of white pom-poms in a milk glass container and family pews were marked with yellow bows.

Mrs. B. O. Robertson was organist and Glynn Gardner, soloist. Candlelighters were Ronald Ray Smith and Sam Ferdinand Steven.

Mrs. Brooks gave his daughter in marriage. The bride wore a floor length gown of white peau de soie with scooped neckline and long tapered sleeves. Lace appliques studded with pearls embellished the neckline and waist. A Watteau train, bordered with the lace, fell chapel length from the shoulders. Her elbow veil of illusion was held in place by a wedding ring hat. She wore a single pearl drop and diamond earrings and carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses surrounding two yellow throat Japeth orchids atop a lace covered white Bible.

Mrs. Billy Ray Smith was matron of honor and Miss Judy Fay Robertson, maid of honor. They wore floor length A-line gowns of light blue crepe with crescent waistlines and double bowed back panels. Their tiny wedding ring hats held circles of matching blue illusion and they carried crescent bouquets of yellow French chrysanthemums with long yellow streamers. Bridesmaids, dressed identically to the honor attendants and carrying single yellow chrysanthemums were Miss Susan Bliss Steven, sister of the groom and Miss Francine Nixon, as was the junior bridesmaid, Miss Joy Renfrow.

Flower girl, Miss Amelia Jane Shepard, Birmingham, Mich., a cousin of the bride, wore an Empire gown of white peau de soie accented by a yellow sash. For travel on their wedding trip to Florida the bride changed to a yellow knit model with matching accessories and the orchids from her bouquet. Upon their return they will reside in Winnsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven are graduates of Winnsboro High School and plan to continue studies at Northeast Louisiana State College where he is a junior in business and she is a junior in the school of education.

## Candlelight Ceremony Unites Couple In Lakeshore Church

Amid a setting of burning and white daisies and their pink and white tapers in branched candlesticks, veils were attached to wide pink linen bows. White gladioli, Miss Carol Sue Head became the bride of Roger Dale Martin at 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 30 in Lakeshore Baptist Church. Family pews were designed by satin ribbons.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Douglas T. Head and the late Mr. Head and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Martin, all of Monroe.

Mrs. Tom Wafer presented an organ prelude and accompanied Don Bell as he sang preceding the double ring ceremony performed by Rev. James O. Evans.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Harold Head, the bride wore a street length semi-fitted gown with scalloped elbow length sleeves and yoke of lace. Her veil of illusion drifted from a crown of petals and seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations with love knots in the white satin streamers.

Miss Susan Pyle, the bride's only attendant, wore a street length dress of deep pink linen which featured cap sleeves and empire waist defined by bands of matching linen ending in a large bow of self fabric. Her circular veil of pink tulip was attached to a pink pillowbox and matching shoes completed her attire. She carried a bouquet of white pom-poms with white satin streamers.

Lighting the candles were Miss Sharon Head, sister of the bride and Miss Linda Giddens, who wore short dresses of pale pink linen with elbow sleeves terminated by ruffles. Empire lines were accented with pink.

After a brief wedding trip the couple will be at home in Monroe where both are employed.



MRS. THOMAS JOE MILLER

## Candlelight Vows Unite Marion Couple

Branched candelabra entwined with ivy and pedestal baskets of white gladioli combined with white and yellow daisies formed a background setting in Marion Methodist Church for the wed-

ding Friday, June 30 of Miss Nita Ann Day and Thomas Joe Miller.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Day and Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Miller, all of Marion.

Candles were lighted preceding the ceremony by Misses Becky and Christie Bennett of Monroe, who were dressed identically to the bridesmaids and wore wristlets of French carnations.

Rev. George McVay performed the double ring vows at 8 p.m. following an organ prelude by Jimmy Allen of Vicksburg, Miss., and vocal selections by Mrs. Jane McVay of Marion.

Escorted by her father the bride was wearing a floor length gown of white peau de soie in empire style with long tapered sleeves of Alencon lace and Sabrina neckline, etched with seed pearls.

A Watteau train of Alencon lace fell chapel length from the shoulders. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was caught to a Swedish crown of pearls. The bride carried a cascade punch service were Mrs. Anna Belle Nixon and Mrs. Charles M. Mills. Tea girls were Mrs. John David Carpenter, Ruston; Miss Linda Martin, New Orleans; Miss Susan Roberts, Vicksburg; Mrs. Ron Hendricks, Plains, Texas and Misses Kathy Evans and Joy Meyer, Winnsboro. Miss Janie Taliaferro presented rice bags to the guests.

For travel on their wedding trip to Florida the bride changed to a yellow knit model with matching accessories and the orchids from her bouquet. Upon their return they will reside in Winnsboro.

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The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert May of Shreveport and Mr. Cowan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cowan of Ruston, formerly of Monroe.

Father Kissinger performed the double ring ceremony at 4 p.m. with vocal selections rendered by Mark Bell.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white silk organza which featured a scoop neckline and brief sleeves lavishly applied in embroidered Alencon lace embellished with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The Empire bodice created by two front bows over the flat front skirt was also enhanced with the jewel motifs, and the pearl encircled bows were repeated in back over the sweeping chapel train. Her tiered veil of imported silk illusion fell from a demi-hat of pearl embroidered lace. The bride's bouquet was fashioned in nosegay tiers of white gladiolus, stephanotis and variegated foliage centered with a corsage of gladiolus and encircled by Italian lace and seed pearls.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Head selected a beige Crepe sheath with brown accessories. The groom's mother wore a white dress with green stripes and patent accessories. Both wore carnation corsages. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church social center. Covering the bride's table was a white cut-work cloth on which was placed a footed silver container holding a massive arrangement of pink radiance roses flanked by pink tapers in silver candelabra.

Serving the tiered wedding cake were the bride's aunts, Mrs. Harold Head and Mrs. Burton Stevens, and serving pink punch were Mrs. H. W. Head and Mrs. Frank Domke Jr., also her aunts.

A memory candle, wreathed with ivy ornamented the guest book table which was presided over by Mrs. William W. Head. Tea girls were Misses Janet Duncan, Carolyn Neal, Maryanne Stevens, Sue Barnes, and Sherri Mae Head. Pink rice bags were presented by Ann Tillman and Cynthia Head.

For travel the bride donned a yellow whipped cream model with a white lace coat, white accessories and a white carnation corsage.

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MRS. AMOS EUGENE PRICE

## Double Ring Vows Unite Nina Osborn, Amos Eugene Price

A double ring ceremony in a candlelight setting at the First Southern Methodist Church of Monroe, united in marriage Miss Nina Jo Osborn and Amos Eugene Price on Friday, June 23 at 6 p.m. Rev. Webber M. Walker performed the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don F. Osborn and Mr. Price is the son of Albert E. Price and Mrs. Susie Wilhite, all of Monroe.

Preceding the ceremony traditional wedding music was provided by Mrs. Louise Morgan, who accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Dejana Pitts.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of peau de soie featuring an Empire waistline and panels of Chantilly lace. Appliques of lace and seed pearls enhanced the scoop neckline and butterfly sleeves.

The bride changed into a yellow crepe shift with matching accessories and the white orchid from her bouquet, for travel when the couple left on a wedding trip to Biloxi and Gulfport. Miss. Both are graduates of Marion high school. The bride attended Louisiana Tech and is now employed by a local bank.

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Mr. Price served as his son's best man and groomsmen were Larry Evans and Bill Garsee. Candles were lighted by Danny Plunkett of Orangeburg, S.C., and Marvin Clark, Union Springs, Ala.

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## Vickie Vollmer Betrothed To Edward Yandle Berry Jr.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Vollmer, Ferriday, of the engagement of their daughter, Vickie to Edward Yandle Berry Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Y. Berry Sr., of Gutina Mora Plantation, Waterproof.

The wedding is calendarized for August 12 at 7 p.m. in First Baptist Church, Ferriday, with Rev. M. H. Fields of Wesley Chapel, St. Joseph, officiating.

Miss Vollmer is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Benton of Monroe and the late Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Vollmer.

A graduate of Ferriday high school, she attended Northeast Louisiana State College.

Grandparents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Berry Sr., and Mrs. Leila Stockton Biggs, all of St. Joseph. Mr. Berry finished Waterproof high school and gradu-

ated from LSU with a B.S. in agricultural business. A member of Sigma Chi fraternity, he is associated with his father in business.

Miss Vollmer has chosen Miss Kathie Serio of Ferriday, as her maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. E. H. Hunter, Sicily Island, Miss Ashley Benton, Monroe, cousin of the bride-elect; Miss Linda Dillahunt, Shreveport; Miss Dianne Guy, Mansfield and Miss Joan Schuchs of Frogmore.

Douglas C. Berry of Waterproof, will attend his brother as best man and named as groomsman are Byron W. Butler, Fred O. Hughes, Phillip R. James, all of Waterproof; James H. Huguet, Baton Rouge and Fred J. Doty, St. Joseph. Ushers will be Glenn B. Gremillion, Ferriday and Brian E. Brewton of Mansfield.

**MISS LINDA CRUM'S** engagement to Richard Lynn Payne is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Crum of Ferriday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Payne, also of Ferriday. The wedding is to be solemnized October 7 at the First Baptist Church of Ferriday. Plans for the wedding will be announced.



MISS LINDA CRUM



MISS VICKI LYNN WHITE

## Garden Wedding Is Planned For Connie Crawley

Engagement of Miss Connie Crawley to James Kiley Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thomas of Oak Grove, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crawley of Oak Grove. A garden wedding is planned for 7 p.m. at the home of the bride's parents on September 2.

Chosen as maid of honor by the bride-elect, is her cousin, Miss Mary Ann Pohlson of Rayville. Bridesmaids will be Miss Elizabeth Carol Pohlson of Rayville and Miss Linda Diana Crawley, Bastrop, also cousins.

Don Major of Kilbourne will serve as best man and groomsman will be Vernon Bankston and Model 'Bud' O'Neal of Oak Grove.

Miss Crawley is the grand-daughter of Mrs. R. F. Crawley of Monroe and the late Mr. Crawley and the late Mr. and Mrs. Preston McKinney of Mer Rouge. She is a graduate of a Greenville, Miss. beauty college.

Mr. Thomas is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Kiley Thomas Sr., of Oak Grove and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rankin of Forest. A graduate of Oak Grove high school, he is engaged in farming.

### USE BAY LEAF

Place a bay leaf on each fish steak that's destined for the broiler!

## Fall To See Most Colorful, Boldest Legs As Status

**N.Y.—** It's the year of the status leg! This sees the boldest, most colorful, least inhibited leg that ever stepped out. Credit it to the shortest skirts and the great coordination. The mini skirt goes with most legs, and hosiery makers are aiming to make it the best-dressed leg yet. Status legs make the look!

Fast paced and totally coordinated stockings are important in every Seventh Avenue collection. The leg action has such items as diamond shapes in a two tone pattern with loads of colors for "go withs". The opaques have it and they're best on a wild color binge. The colors that are now, pow, and all smash.

Be-kneeth the whole fashion story for fall . . . the knee-high is one its way up. It's news in light weight to go with pants dresses pants skirts and kilts. Pantyhose never have been more prevalent . . . more coverage for less skirt in more and more exciting patterns and colors.

The right combination for fall . . . is Fishnet . . . for fashion and function. It's light and airy, cobwebby fishnet intertwined with sheer opaque.

The lustre or glowing leg is sheer rather than shine — on the gold, silver or copper standard.



**THE APPROACHING** marriage of Miss Virginia Katherine Kincaid, daughter of Mrs. Carey D. Kincaid and the late Mr. Kincaid of Winnsboro, to Thomas Eddlemen, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Eddlemen of Denham Springs, is announced by her mother. An afternoon wedding is planned for August 5 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Etheridge of Winnsboro.

### Fuller-White

## Wedding To Be August Event

Engagement of Miss Vicki Lynn White, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. R. White to Tommy Marvin Fuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fuller, all of Start, is announced today by her parents. The wedding will be an event of August 11 at 7:30 p.m. in Crew Lake Methodist Church with the bride's father officiating.

Miss Ginger Eppinette of Monroe, will attend the bride as maid of honor and chosen as matron of honor is Mrs. Jim Jones, West Monroe, sister of the future groom. Bridesmaids will be Miss Kathy Wray, Crowley; Miss Mary Killen, Start and Miss Diane Clement, Franklin.

Billy White, brother of the bride-elect, will serve as best man and named as ushers are Steve Smith, Harrisburg, Ark., Wiley Clement, Terry Smith and Jerry Smith, all of Start.

Miss White is currently a student at Northeast Louisiana State College. Her fiance, a student at Northeast is presently a student at LSU.



MISS DIANNE NOBLE

## Dianne Noble, Fiance Calendar August Wedding

If a recipe calls for one cup of fine cornflake crumbs, you'll need to crush four cups of cornflakes to make the required number of crumbs.

### CRUSH CORNFLAKES

Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Noble of Sterlington, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dianne to Warren F. Mutz, son of Lt. Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Joseph H. Mutz of New Orleans. The wedding will take place August 4 at 4 p.m. in First Baptist Church, Sterlington, with Rev. Ray Raddin officiating.

The bride-elect has chosen Mrs. Jim Hatton as matron of honor and Mrs. David Wimbish, bridesmaids. Flower girl will be Georgette Hatton.

Robert W. Mutz will attend the bridegroom as best man and named as ushers are Jerry Noble, Ronald J. Mutz and Buster Nolan.

Miss Noble was graduated from Sterlington high school, attended Kilgore Junior College, Kilgore, Texas and is now attending Northeast Louisiana State College where she is a senior majoring in sociology.

Mr. Mutz attended Kaiserslautern American high school in Germany for three years, graduated from Oak Ridge high school, Orlando, Fla., and is now a junior in business administration at Northeast.

Following their marriage the couple will reside in Monroe.

### Your Problems

## There's All Kinds In 'Looneyville'

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: My husband is smart in business, makes a fine living and is active in civic affairs. But he has a habit that is driving me nuts. He talks to himself.

If someone pays him a compliment during the day, he will walk around with a silly grin, repeating the compliment and enjoying it all over again. If he has had an argument at the office, he will rehash the conversation, repeat what he said, and what the other fellow said, and then add what he should have said.

He makes no attempt to keep his voice down. It is almost as if he is performing for me and the children. Tonight he went into a monologue on what he plans to say to his supervisor tomorrow if he gets criticized for the way he handled a deal.

It is creepy to hear this man talking to himself in full voice. Please tell me if you think he is losing his buttons? — GREENSBORO

Dear Greensboro: In the past three weeks I have received over 2,000 letters from women whose husbands like to sleep in lace nightgowns and wear ladies' underwear. One lone asked his wife to make him some silk dresses to wear while watching T. V. And you are complaining because your husband talks to himself! Comparatively speaking, he is in

it worse than my father, but I decided I wasn't going to be a workhorse like mama was. When something needed fixing I would ask my husband to do it. If within three days it wasn't done I'd hire someone. When he got the bill he'd blow up. My response was, "I'd rather pay out the money than nag you, dear."

In the last few years he has done all the repairs and I have never asked him more than once. — THE FOXY ONE

Dear Foxy: You make a lot of sense, Girl. I recommend your plan as an anti-nag measure for all wives everywhere.

How will you know when the real thing comes along? Ask Ann Landers. Send for her booklet "Love Or Sex And How To Tell The Difference." Send 35 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of Monroe Morning World enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Our son says I can't come over without his mother. His mother refuses to go more than four nights a week. We are having some terrible arguments over this and I wish you would straighten her out. — NEW JERSEY

Dear Jersey: You sure rattled the wrong cage, Bub. I am the founder of the Leave Your Married Kids Alone League. Four

hatching.

Miss Diane Thomason will serve as maid of honor and chosen as bridesmaids are Mrs. Margaret Roark, Mrs. Malcolm Patterson, Miss Teresa Bee and Miss Alice Smith. Attending the groom as best man will be Charles Darnell and named as ushers are Russell Hollis, Jim Self, Jackie Fuller and Michael Wilson.

A graduate of Mangham high school, Miss Thomason is currently majoring in English education at Northeast. Her fiance, who graduated from Rayville high school, is majoring in business administration at the college.

Vows will be exchanged at 7:30 p.m. on August 19 in Little Creek Methodist Church at Alto with Rev. Sammy Hargrove officiating.

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## Boy Injured In Accident Dies Here

A nine-year-old Memphis, Tenn., youth injured in a two-car crash last Sunday, died Saturday in St. Francis Hospital here.

The youth, Phillip Rogers Long, his brother, and two sisters were thrown from an auto on the U.S. 165 bypass. The other children were hospitalized but not injured critically.

The victim was the son of Willie H. and Mrs. Long who also received minor injuries in the crash on the recently opened I-20 and Richwood Road.

The Long vehicle, headed north on I-20, was hit in the left side by a vehicle headed east on Richmond Road and driven by 26-year-old Mrs. Jo Ann Madison.

A car door on the Long vehicle unbent after it was initially hit and two of the children were thrown from the vehicle.

Investigating troopers charged Mrs. Madison with negligent pursuit, failure to yield the right of way, and a license violation.

Funeral services for the Long youth will be at 2:30 p.m. today at the Trinity Baptist Church with Rev. George Sherman pastor, officiating.

Following the services in Tennessee, the body will be transported to Memphis Funeral Home at Memphis, Tenn.

Funeral services in Tennessee will be held at the Trinity Baptist Church of Memphis.

Burial will be in Forest Hill Cemetery in Memphis.

Other than his parents he is survived by a brother, Tommy Dean Long, Memphis; two sisters, Sharon Ann Long and Brenda Long, both of Memphis; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Long of Sikes and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Sheppard of Toledo.

## Two Bernice Teenagers Are Injured

Two Bernice teenagers received minor injuries in a two-car crash Saturday on rain-soaked U.S. 30 about a half mile west of La. 346.

K. K. Kelles and James Harkins, both 16, received facial lacerations and possible fractures in the crash which occurred during Saturday night's downpour.

Investigating state troopers said that auto driven by Harkins was headed west and post-roped sideways in the road when struck by a vehicle driven by Marvin N. Chandler, 5, of Rt. 1, Box 288 B, West Monroe. Chandler was not injured in the crash.

Harkins told troopers he was trying to pull off the road because of poor visibility during the rain when struck in the right rear by the Chandler vehicle. Harkins explained that his car had begun sliding sideways on the slick highway when he applied his brakes.

Troopers charged Harkins with reckless operation of his vehicle.

## Mrs. Davenport Dies; Rites Set

Mrs. Ruth Davenport, 89, of 200 Pecan St., Monroe, died at St. Francis Hospital Saturday following a brief illness. Funeral services will be at Hixson Brothers Chapel here 2:30 p.m. Monday.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Monroe.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. D. Sterling Fritsch, Tex., and Mrs. W. A. Minor, Monroe; three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Earl M. Knight Jr., Fred Hill, George A. Sporn, C. A. Burney, Guy Armstrong, D. A. Mears.

## Landers Funeral Rites Pending

Mrs. Mary Franklin Landers, of 204 Tennessee Ave., Monroe, died Saturday at St. Francis Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were incomplete with rites to be directed by Hixson Brothers Funeral Home.

## U.S. Funds Aid School Salaries

LAFAYETTE, La. (AP) — The Acadia Parish School Board announced Saturday state Atty. Gen. Jack P. F. Gremlin has approved its use of federal funds to supplement salaries of school personnel.

The decision overruled legislative Auditor J. B. Lancaster, who recently criticized the board for using federal money in such a manner.

Basing his decision on a recent opinion from State Supt. of Education William Dodd, Gremlin said the guidelines set for the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare permit the use of federal funds to pay salaries of local school personnel engaged in the administration of the federal program.



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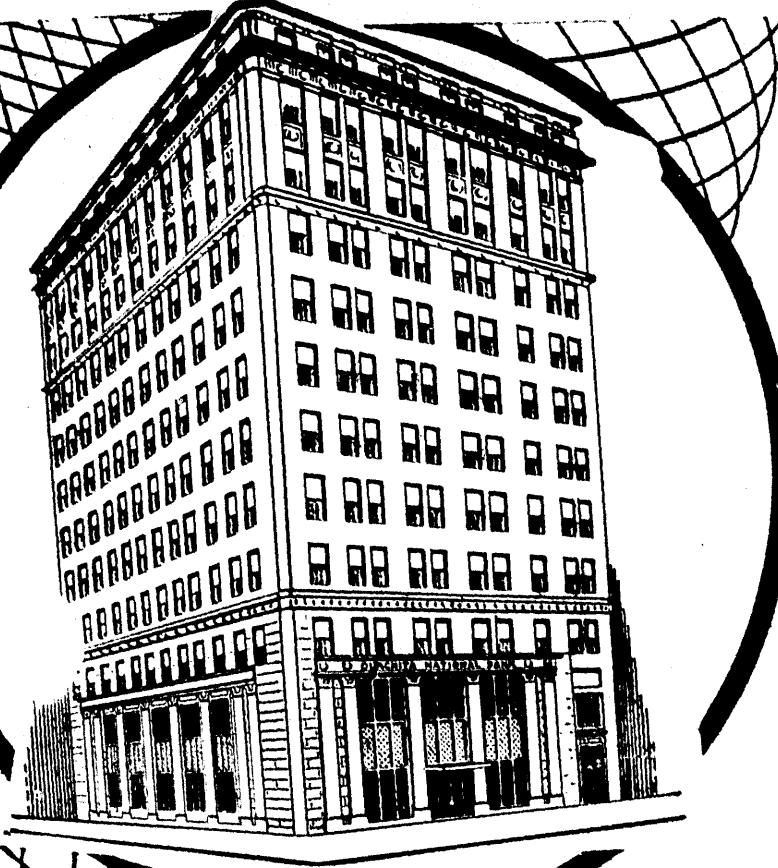
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### • RESOURCES •

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United States Govt. Securities .....	16,261,383.13
Securities Guaranteed by U.S. Govt. ....	3,621,300.66
State, Parish and Municipal Bonds .....	10,277,449.36
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank .....	120,000.00
Loans and Discounts .....	37,536,461.84
Banking Premises .....	135,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures .....	2.00
Other Resources .....	57,341.44
TOTAL RESOURCES .....	\$79,075,329.68

### • LIABILITIES •

Capital Stock .....	\$2,000,000.00
Surplus .....	2,000,000.00
Undivided Profits .....	1,195,044.99
Total Capital Funds .....	\$5,195,044.99
Reserve for Loss on Loans .....	860,588.51
Reserve for Unearned Discount .....	538,787.94
Reserve for Taxes .....	141,833.00
Dividend Payable July 5, 1967 .....	80,000.00
Other Liabilities .....	28,299.16
Deposits .....	72,230,776.08
TOTAL LIABILITIES .....	\$79,075,329.68

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June 30, 1950 .....
June 30, 1955 .....
June 30, 1960 .....
June 30, 1964 .....
June 30, 1965 .....
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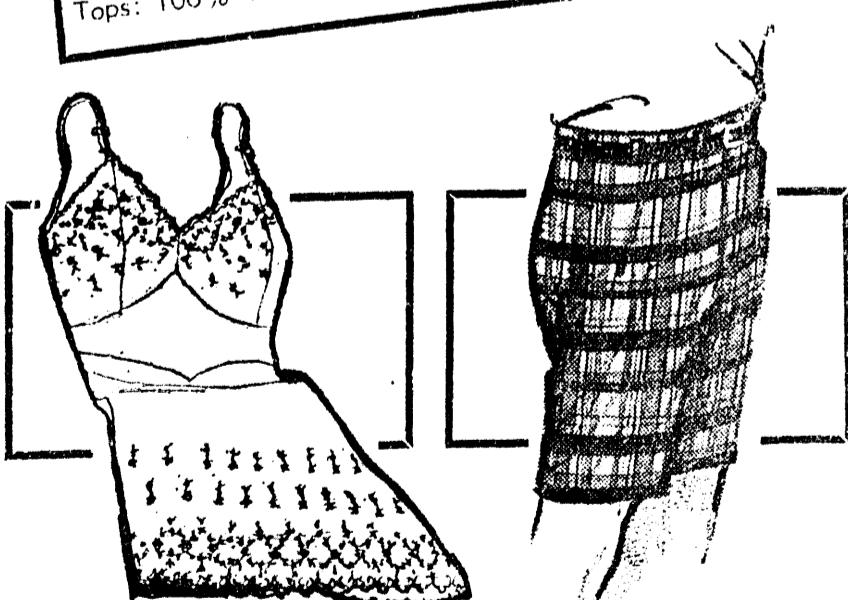
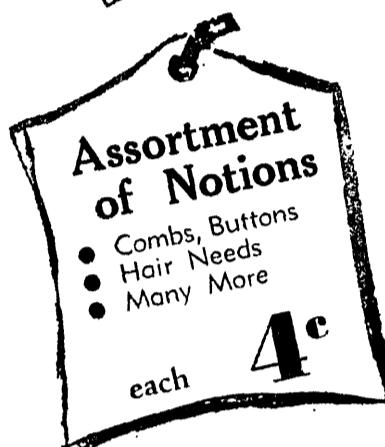






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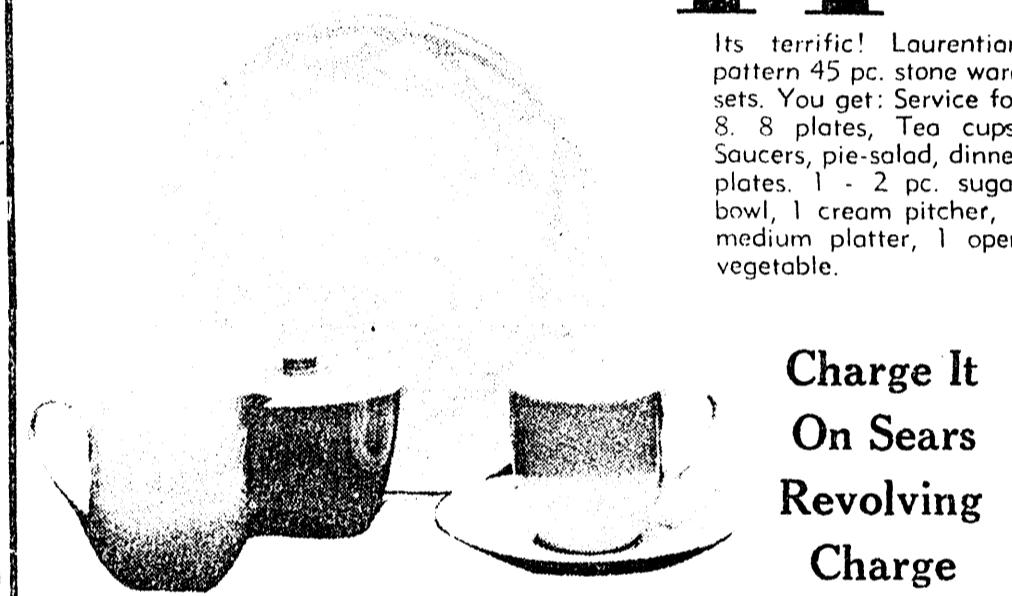
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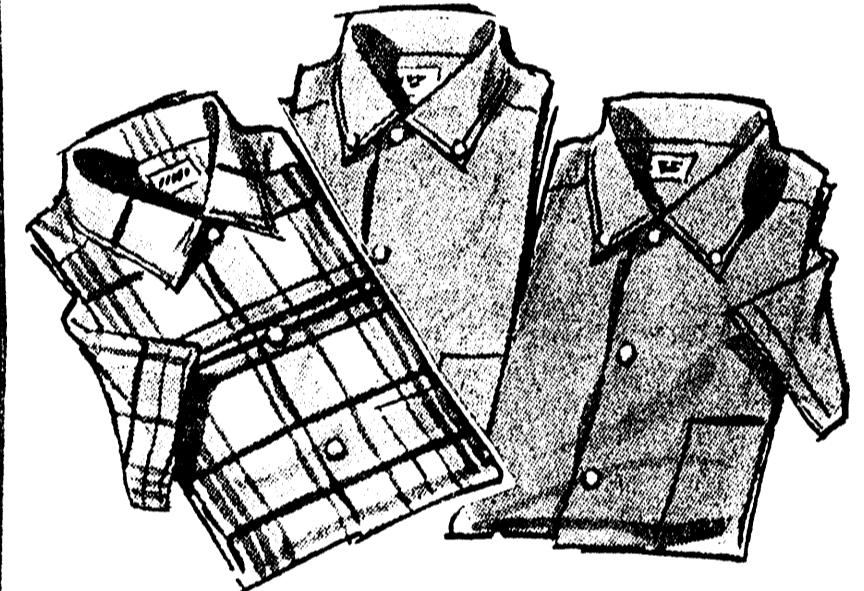


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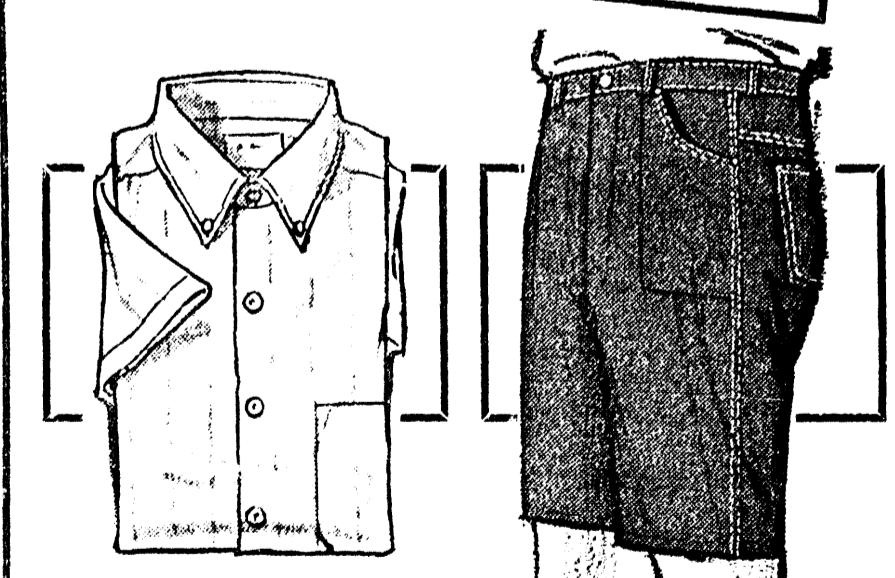


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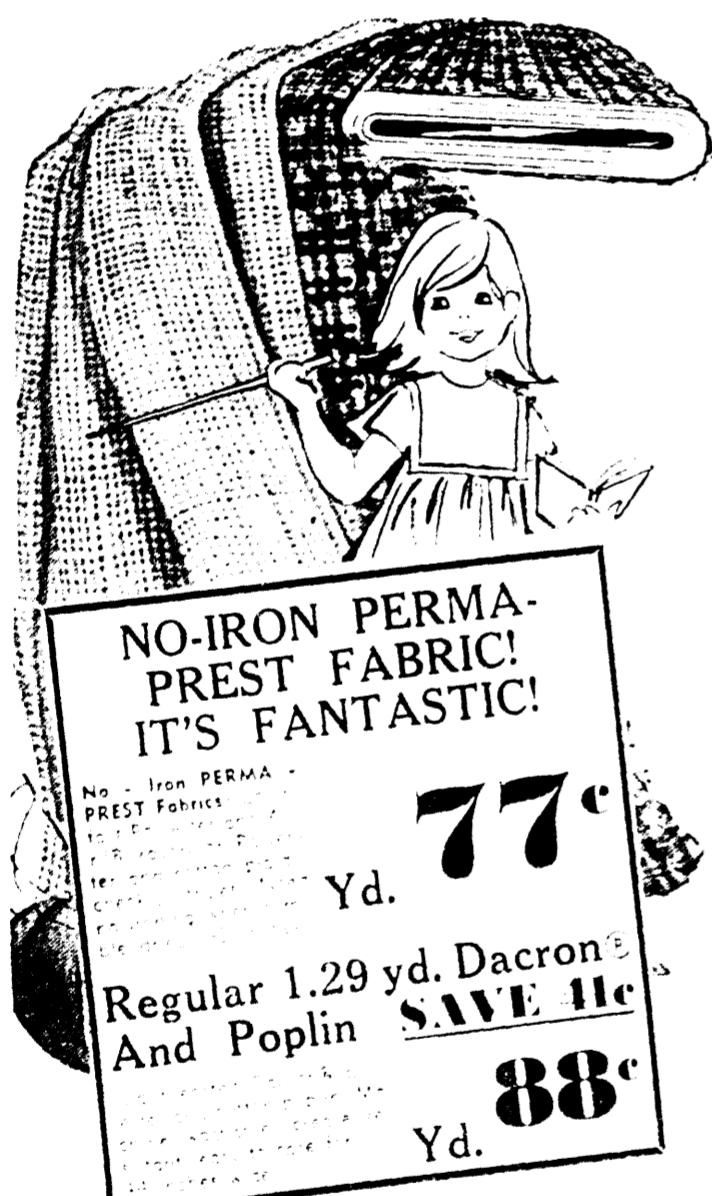
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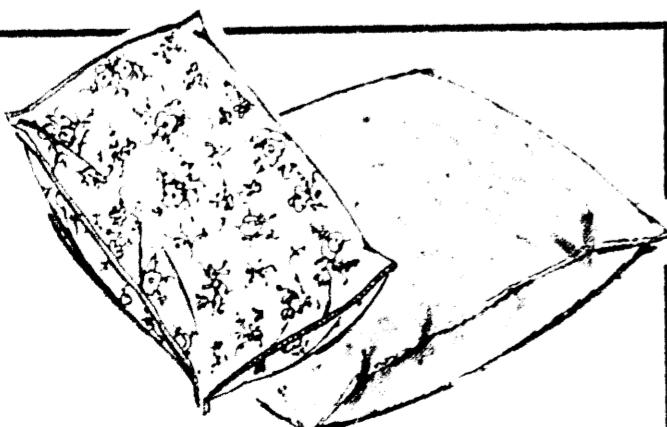
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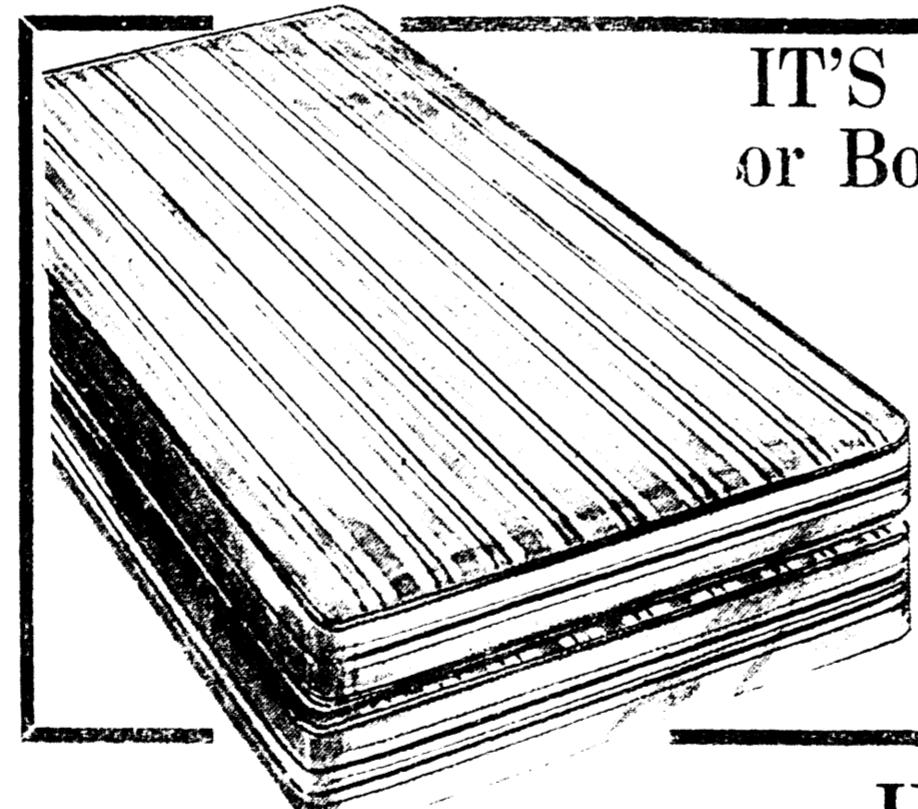
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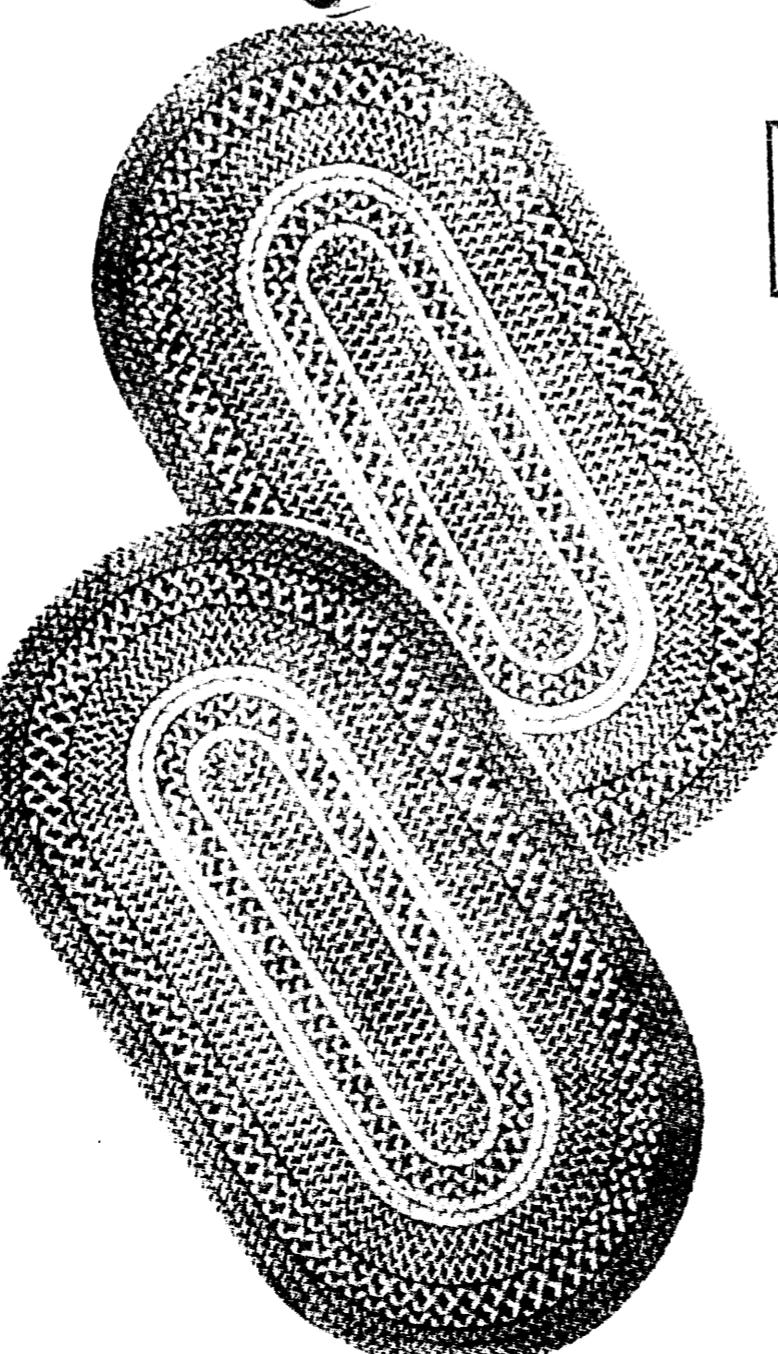
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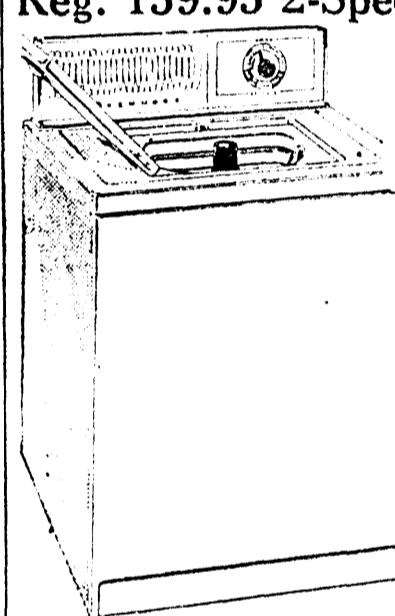
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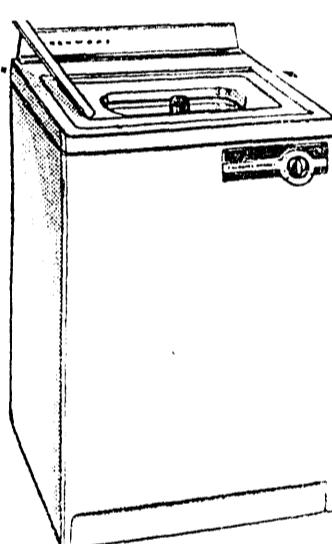
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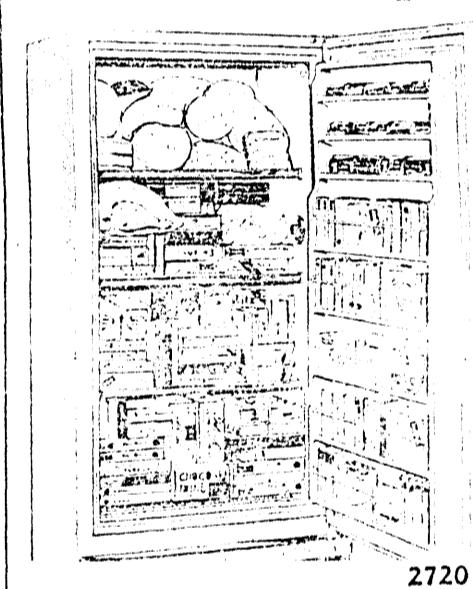
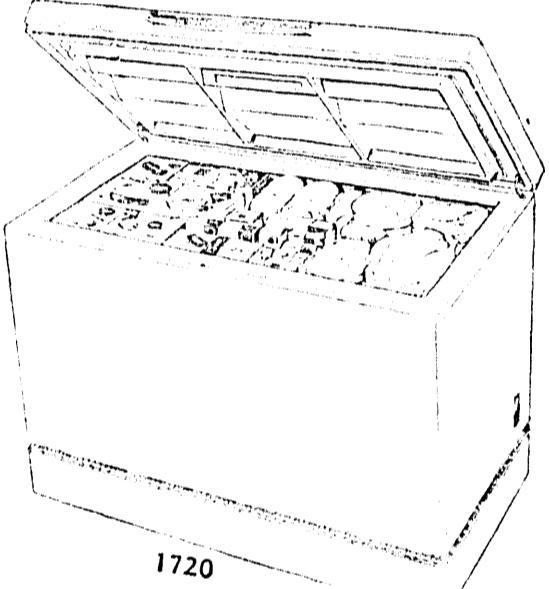
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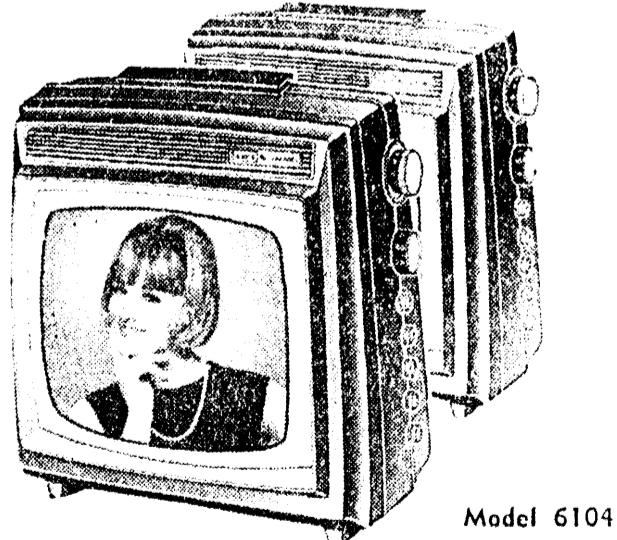
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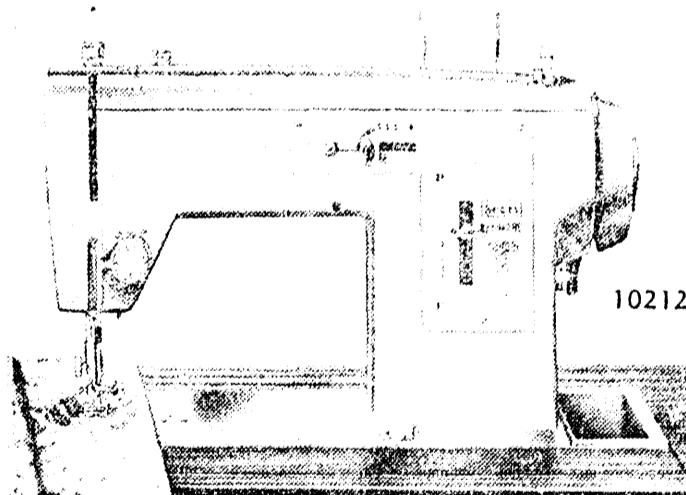
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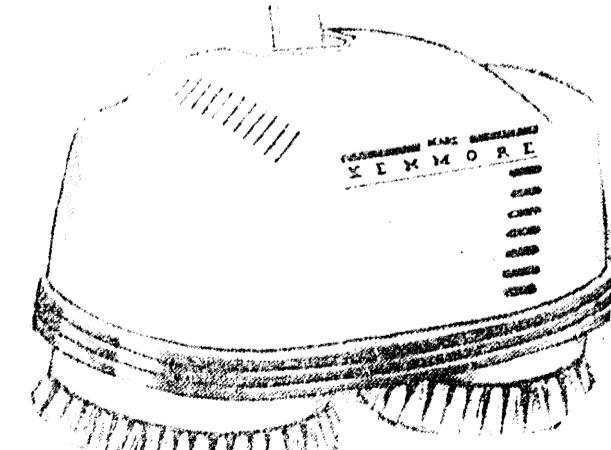
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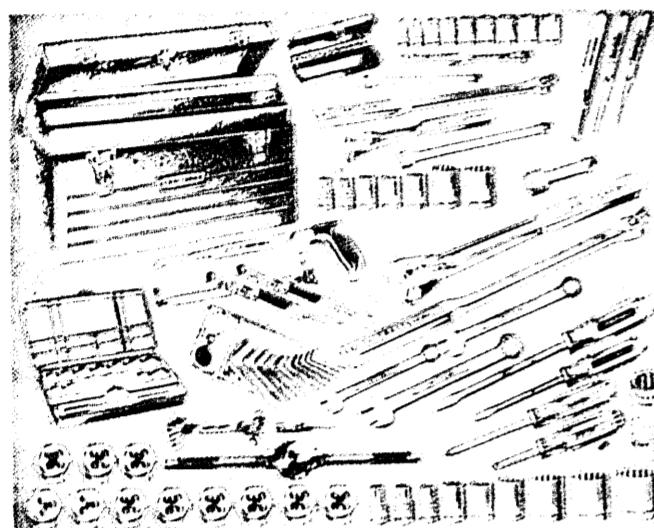
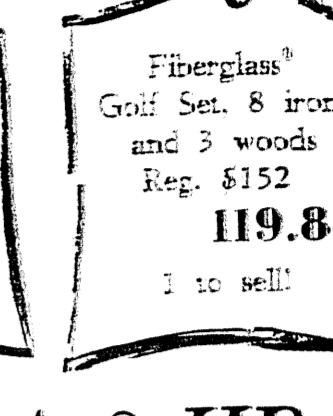
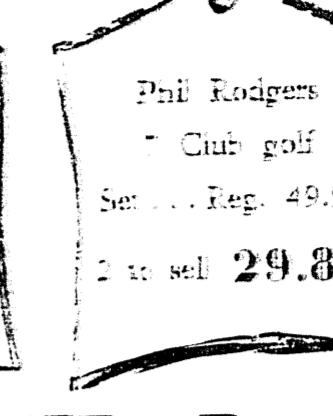
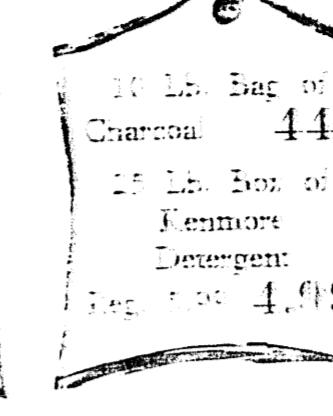
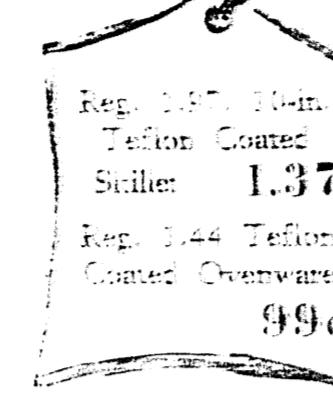
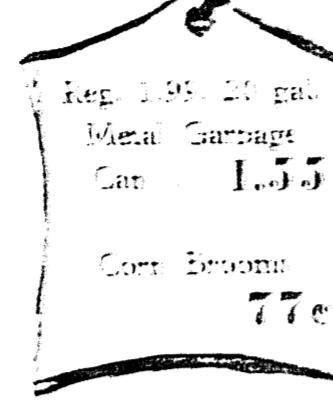
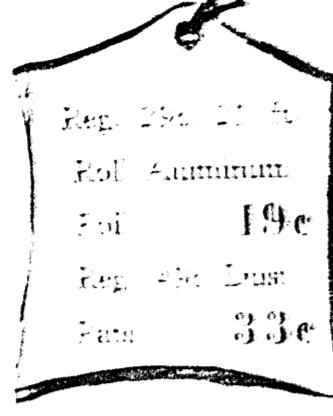
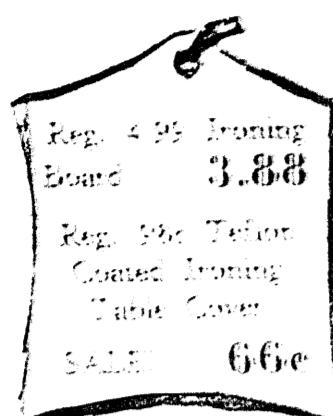
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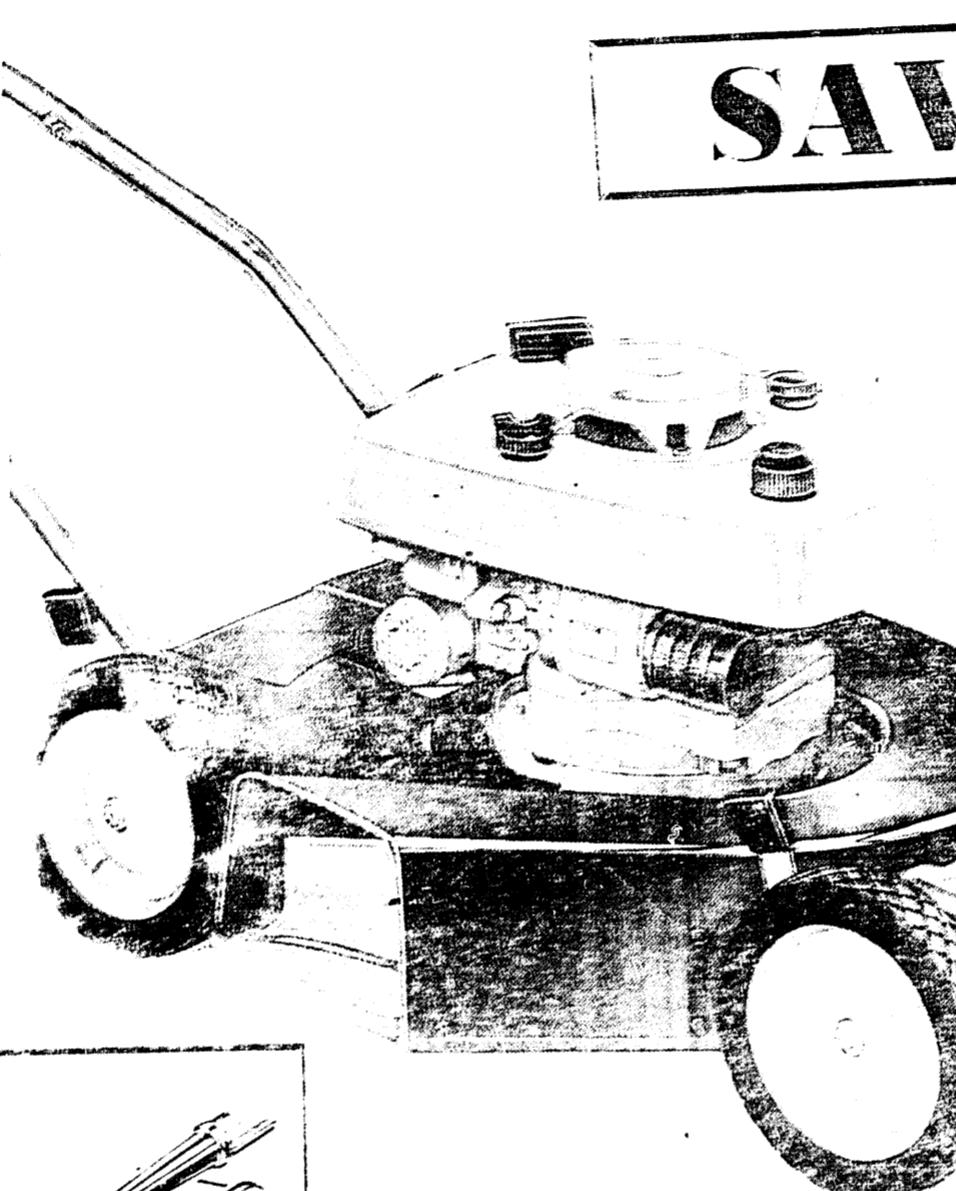
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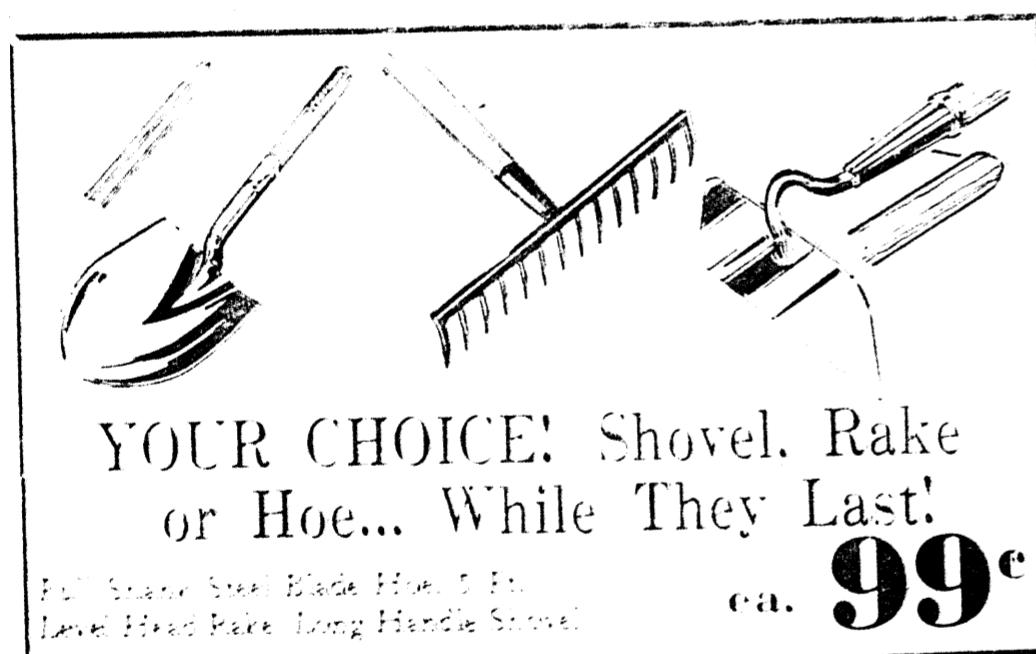
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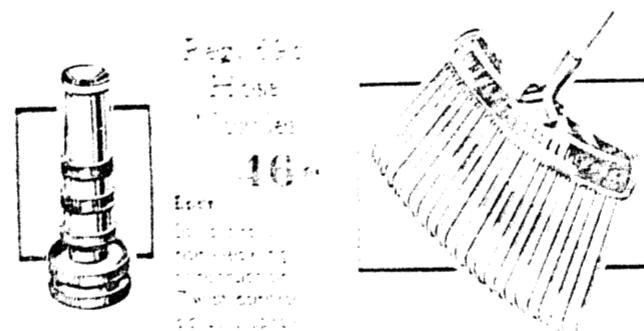


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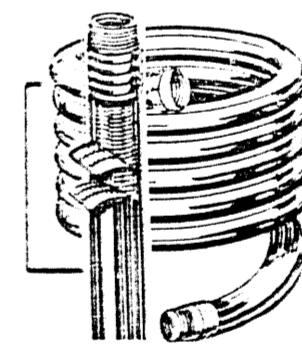
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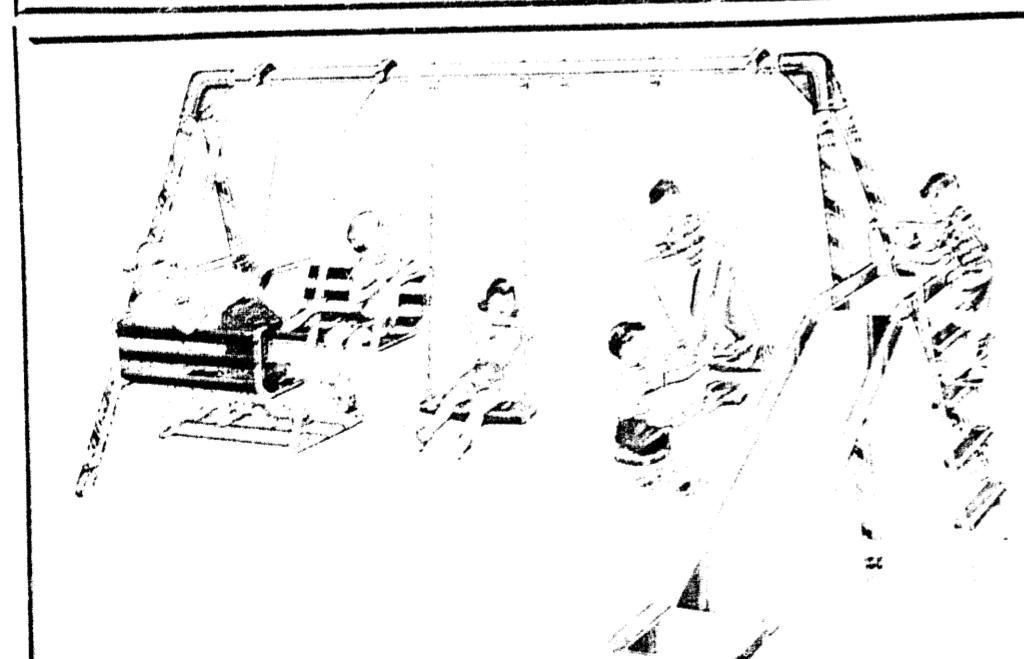
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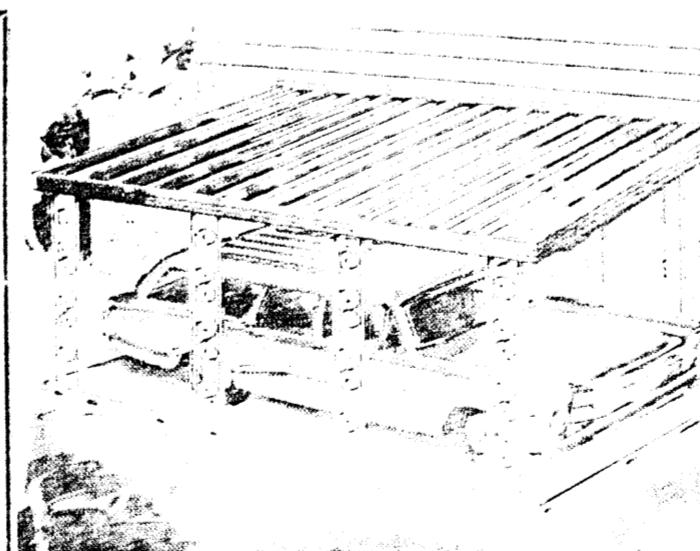


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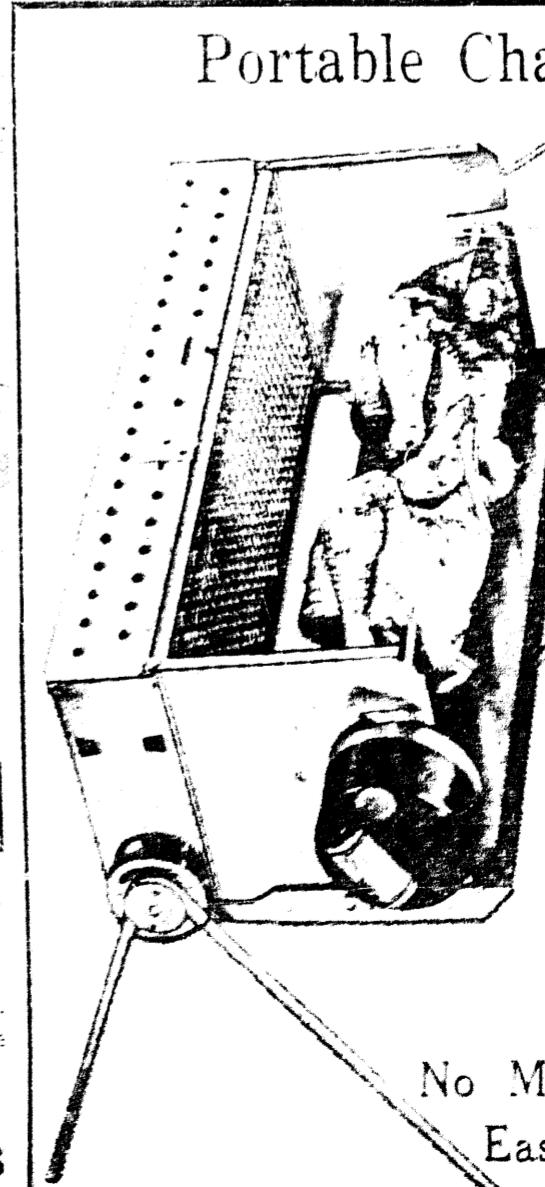
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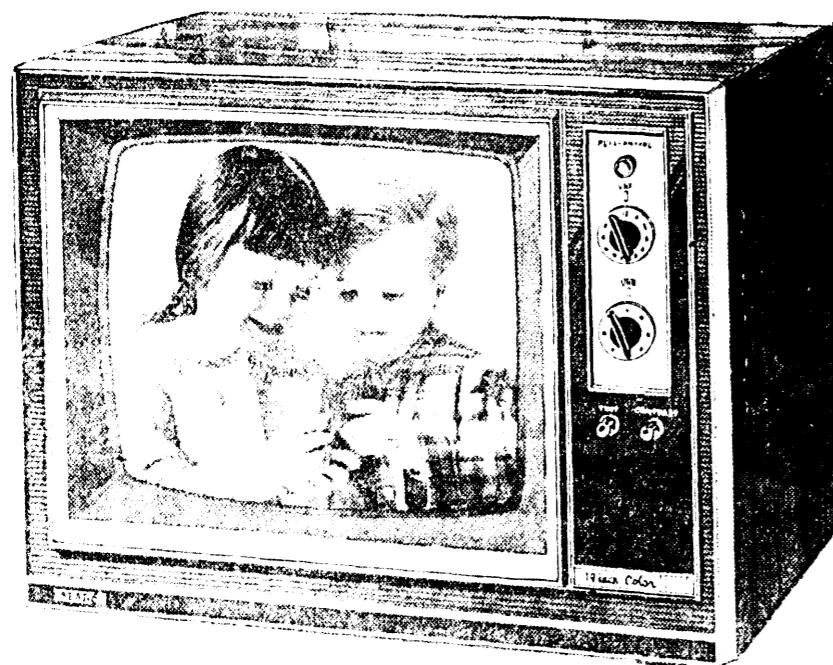
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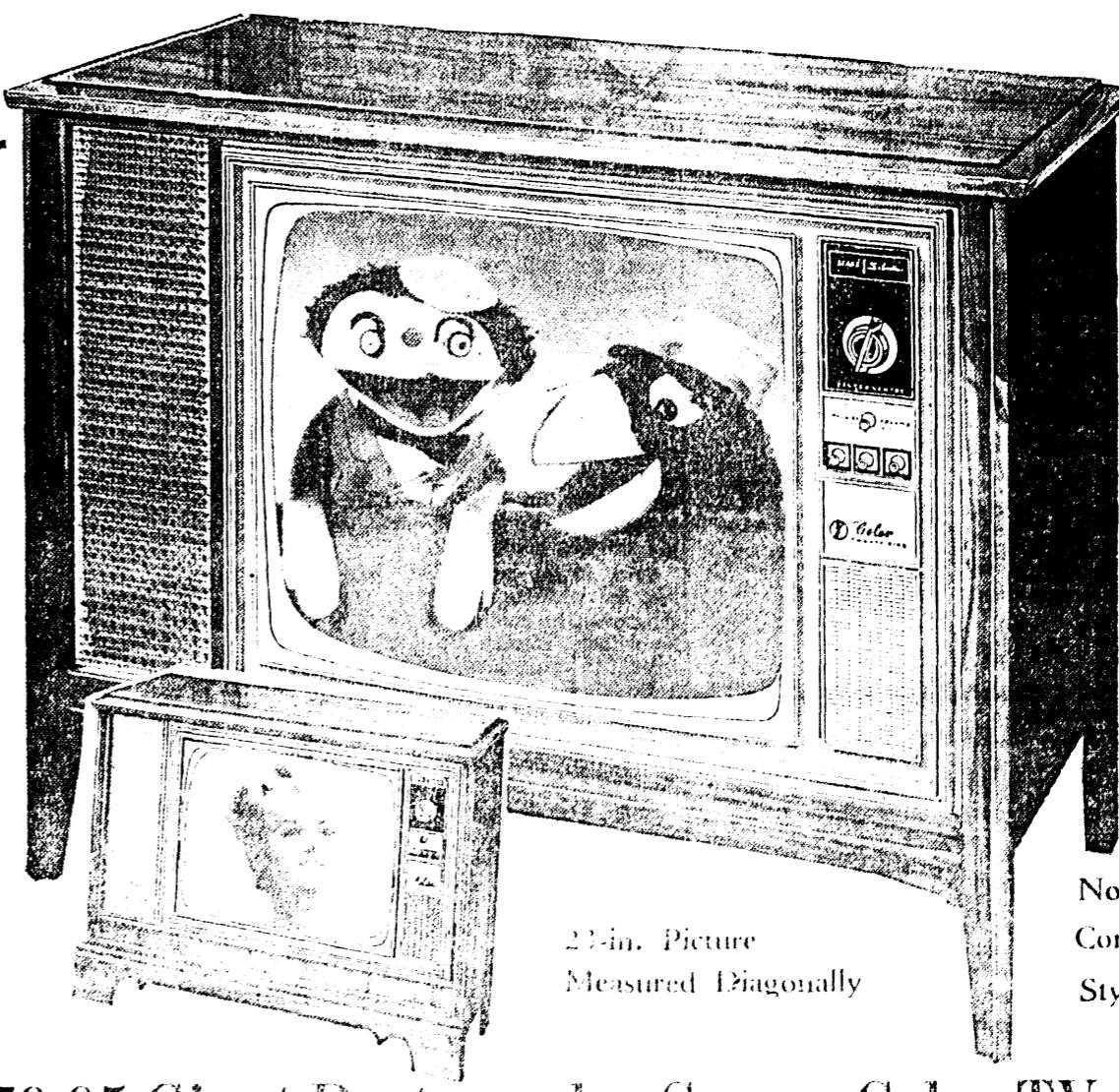
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## About Records

### Chet Atkins New Work Is Among His Best

RCA Victor now has a competitor in the commercial commemorating of the Artur Toscanini in this, the centennial year of his birth. Back in the 30s he was in London for concerts with the B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, and they were recorded. A selection from those recordings is now available under the "budget price" Seraphim label.

The three-record set contains the 1st, 4th and 6th symphonies of Beethoven plus one overture each by Mozart, Brahms and Beethoven. The recording techniques of the 30s were primitive compared to those of the present day yet, surprisingly, the quality is at least acceptable, thanks to the "cleanup" job done on the old masters.

All the pieces have been issued over past years by RCA Victor, as Toscanini recorded them in the late 40s and early 50s, and with better quality. Nevertheless there is much in these older recordings, representative of a younger Toscanini, to interest admirers and students of his style. Particularly in Beethoven's 4th and 6th, you can feel he was more buoyant with Beethoven than he was as he got older and older (6015).

Meanwhile, RCA Victor is not being remiss in issuing Toscanini recordings from its huge store of those he made with the NBC Symphony. The three new issues are under its "budget-prime" Victoria label. One is of the maestro dealing with Wagner — the preludes of

"Chet Atkins day" and an audience of 10,000 heard fellow artists pay tribute to him.

Chet is sort of a humble man but he is proud of his accomplishments and will continue to maintain the high standards he has set as an artist and as director of artists and repertoire.

Atkins' latest LP, "Chet Atkins Picks the Best" (RCA Victor LSP-3818), is a fine selection of numbers

for his guitar. Among them are such old standbys as "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Colonel Bogey." And it includes "All," the theme from the movie, "Run for Your Wife." Chet's plucking of "El Paso" alone is enough to make the session enjoyable.

Some fine guitar music also may be heard on "Pop Go the Classics" by the Guitar Workshop (Warner Bros. 1687). This is a British im-

port built around arrangements of light classical numbers by Grieg, Tchaikovsky, Chopin and Offenbach, among others.

Outstanding are "Country Gardens," "Polonaise," "Impromptu" and "Hall of the Mountain King."

Selected Singles — "There's No Living Without Your Loving" by Peter and Gordon (Capitol P 6104), "Trucker's Prayer" by Dave Dudley (Mercury 72697), "You Wanted Someone to Play With" by Frankie Laine (ABC 45 - 10946), "If I Were a Carpenter," by The Look (Verve KF3054), "Mercy, Mercy, Mercy" by The Buckinghams (Columbia 44182).

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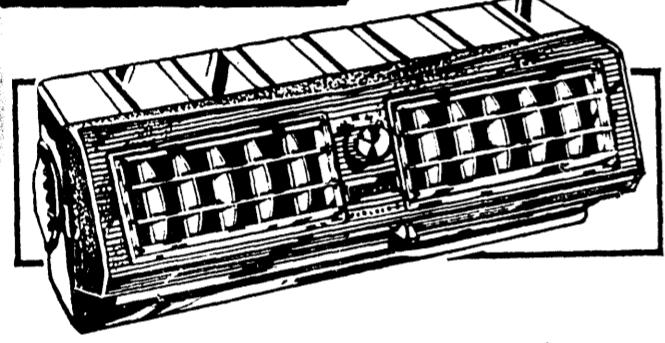
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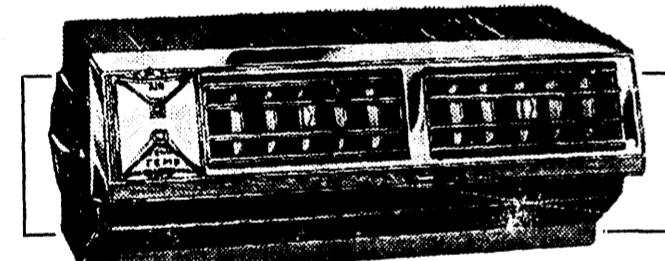
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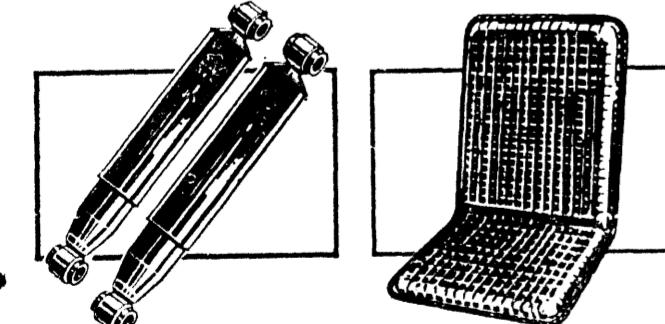
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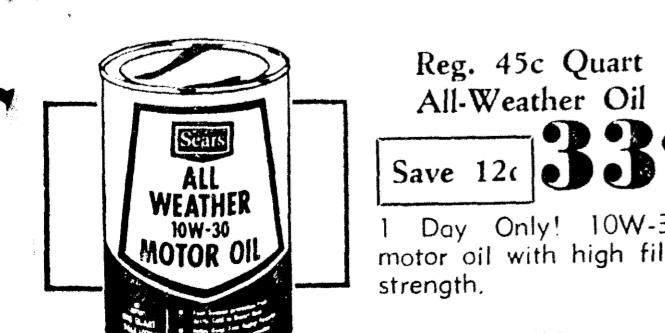
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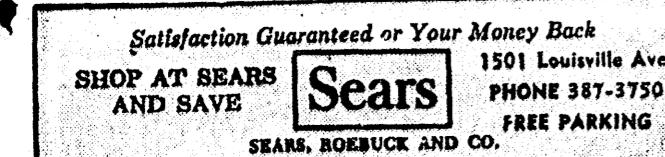
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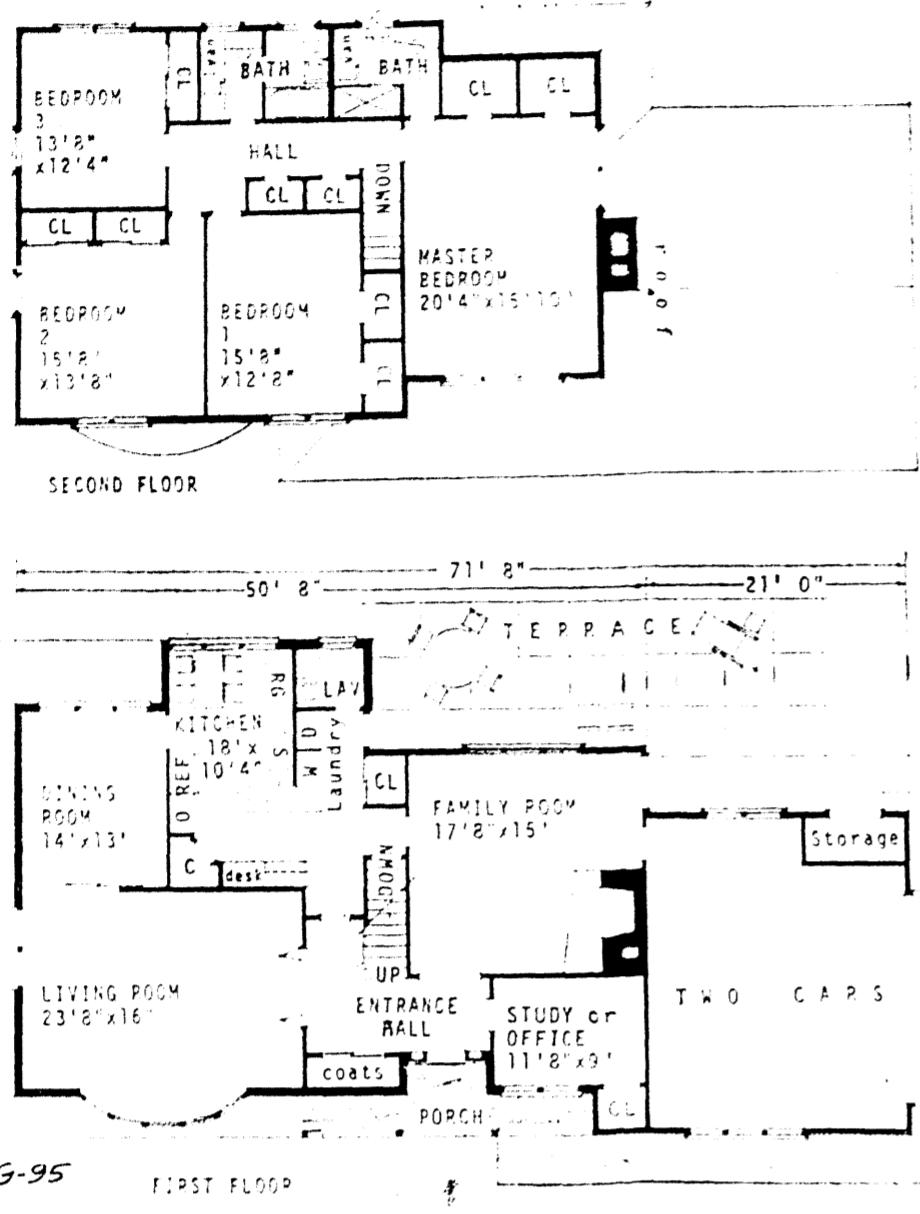
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# Charlie Company's Freedom Fight Hit Peak On Hill 571

*On the Fourth of July give a thought to Charlie Company of the U.S. 4th Division. Its members fought for freedom, too, in a wilderness near the Cambodian border. Here's their story, by a correspondent who was sitting next to the company commander when death began.*

By JOHN T. WHEELER

WITH CHARLIE COMPANY NEAR THE CAMBODIAN BORDER (AP) — The weary American company was only 800 yards from linking up with its sister unit atop Hill 571. Capt. James Powers, the commander wiped his sweating face and called rest break before the final climb.

The 117 men of Charlie Company gratefully sagged to the ground, glad to ease the weight of the 80-pound packs that had cut into their shoulders for days.

"Well, that's about it for this sweep," GI said as he lit a badly crushed cigarette. "Yeah," a buddy replied. "I guess Charlie the Communists aren't goin' to show this time."

## SECURELY TIED

Silently, expertly, the North Vietnamese snipers stole in from the rear. Noisily they climbed trees overlooking the American unit. After tying themselves securely to the tree trunks, they unslung their heavy automatic rifles and took careful aim.

Just as silently, Communist assault troops, some wearing bright red berets designating an elite unit, maneuvered through the dense secondary jungle and rust-colored mud. They halted in ambush positions to the left and rear of the American 4th Division company.

Somewhere in the wings, other North Vietnamese troops armed the fuses of their 82mm mortar shells and stood poised beside the gun tubes.

Grey monsoon clouds lay low over the jungle mountains 240 miles north of Saigon. The seconds ticked off. Then it was 7:50 a.m. The North Vietnamese battalion opened fire with everything it had.

Powers, a lanky, jut-jawed West Point graduate, scrambled to his knees facing toward the firing that suddenly engulfed his men. Then his head snapped back, driven by a bullet that hit him just under the left eye. He fell dead, his mouth open as if ready to issue a command. His eyes, puzzled, stared upward at the jungle canopy.

## SCRAMBLED FOR COVER

Men scrambled for cover behind tree trunks, too started to begin firing back immediately. Many men didn't make it to safety as the bullets methodically, almost lazily stitched back and forth across the trail. And now the mortar shells began exploding in the American ranks as well. The first wave of Communist assault troops moved forward.

But any hope of quick Communist victory was stillborn. For Powers, of Dubuque, Iowa, had already insured his men against quick annihilation. During the march before the ambush, he had repeatedly ordered the machete-swinging point men of his platoons to keep a good tactical formation.

So close to B Company and Hill 571, the danger of attack had seemed wildly improbable. But the lead men kept a true course, slinging their way through the jungle with powerful swings of their two-foot-long knives.

The North Vietnamese commander probably had not counted on this. Troops tend to get sloppy as they near real or imagined safety. But not Charlie Company. Powers had seen to that.

Had Charlie Company been struck out in a line, or bunched, the Communist commander might well have been the first to destroy a major American unit. His comrades had destroyed a U.S. platoon nearby a just a few days before. But a company, just a whole American company, what a prize!

The volume of Communist fire swelled as the ambush vice closed feet by feet. But Charlie Company was firing back well now and the first assault was beaten off.

Confusion, but not panic, had stunned



THEIR BUDDIES were falling around them, but the men of Charlie Company knew they had to get back to the grassy knoll they had passed a few minutes earlier — to high ground — to stop the North Vietnamese who had ambushed them near the Cambodian border. So Spec. 4 Edward Renck of Spokane, Wash., presses on after losing a finger of his right hand — and bandaging it himself. He holds his M16 rifle, damaged by the bullet which tore away his finger. (AP Newsfeatures Photo)

the company, for within minutes all its officers were dead or too badly wounded to act. The senior sergeants swiftly assessed the situation and smoothly took charge.

M. Sgt. Richard Childers, the company's top sergeant, announced over the radio that he had taken command. A rapid series of orders followed. Childers, of Akron, Ohio, had "just four days and a wakeup" left to do in Vietnam when he rolled, fully clothed, out of his muddy poncho liner that morning. Short timers those soon to go home often are overly cautious. But not Childers, who prowled around the battlefield without helmet, oblivious to enemy fire as he focused his mind on one thing — how to save his company. Shrapnel hit both hands, but Childers refused medical attention.

"Get the high ground," Childers ordered. "We've got to get the high ground." This was a small knoll the company had passed over a few minutes before the rest break. Despite good deployment, a quick recovery and raw courage, the company could be lost easily if the Communists continued to enjoy the advantage of firing down on the Americans from the high ground.

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Then a lull descended on the battlefield. The Communists apparently were reorganizing for a fresh assault. But the comparative quiet gave the medics, Spec. 4 Renny Jacobs of Columbia, S.C., Pfc. Marcos Valles of Valejo, Calif., and Pfc. Richard Mason of Chicago time to get to some of the isolated wounded.

Mortar rounds continued to fall. One blast cut down 10 Americans. Fragments from another blast blinded one GI.

Suddenly the firing opened up again

company and finish out my tour with my buddies."

The knoll had been taken, and with it the tide of battle shifted in favor of the Americans. Then somehow Lt. Branko Marinovich and one platoon of B Company fought their way through to reinforce Charlie Company's perimeter. A second platoon was turned back by heavy fire.

Marinovich lost several men to bullets and mortar rounds that caused a virtual rain of bark, twigs, leaves and bamboo slivers to fall on the beleaguered Americans.

Marinovich, of Fresno, Calif., was hit several times by mortar fragments. One piece of steel knocked his left thumb off.

Once inside the Charlie Company perimeter, Marinovich slammed the butt of his assault rifle repeatedly into the ground, swearing, "damn, damn . . .

Powers had been a close friend.

"Get the high ground," Childers ordered.

"We've got to get the high ground."

This was a small knoll the company had

passed over a few minutes before the rest break. Despite good deployment, a quick recovery and raw courage, the company could be lost easily if the Communists continued to enjoy the advantage of firing down on the Americans from the high ground.

"All right, everyone alive move forward," shouted Platoon Sgt. Paul Ingman of Cambridge, Ohio.

A man who already had suffered a bad arm wound grabbed up his M16 rifle and left safety behind his tree. "Man, we gotta get that hill and I'm goin,'" he said.

ASSAULT FOR KNOLL

As the assault for the knoll was launched some men were dropped in their tracks. Before the three-hour battle was over half of Charlie Company would be dead or wounded. But no one knew when or at what level the blood-letting would stop when the assault on the high ground began.

Spec. 4 Edward Renck of Spokane, Wash., joined in the lunge, run, crouch, belly-crawl

## Myth Of Power

Despite their great power, neither the United States nor the Soviet Union hold complete sway over small nations friendly to them. The United States could not hold the Israeli back from smashing the Arab legions to smithereens. General Moshe Dayan, the Israeli Defense Minister, declared that he wanted no foreign soldiers dying for Israel. His country under threat of extinction, he took action and the rest is history.

Likewise in Cuba, where \$1 million a day in aid pours in from the Soviets, Fidel Castro makes disgusted noises at the way his friends backtracked on the Arabs. The bearded one likes the aid he gets, but he doesn't like the way Russia soft-pedals wars of liberation. Nor does he like the way the super powers get together to iron out mutual difficulties. Castro is of the Mao revolutionary which preaches direct no-holds-barred assault on capitalist and "imperialist" nations. Moscow is more subtle and patient. Consequently, the extended discussions between Castro and Kosygin in Havana have been widely interpreted as a knuckle-rapping session, with Castro's hand on the receiving end.

Castro made known his displeasure with his benefactors as soon as Johnson and Kosygin got on the hotline. The fact that his homeland could not survive without Soviet help, did not prevent him from castigating them in the same fashion as Red China and Albania. The Cuba-Soviet spat boils down to the question: who needs who the worst?

As Kosygin presumably told Castro to lay off biting the

hand that feeds him, President Johnson was having a new round of trouble with his Israeli friends who annexed Old Jerusalem. Israel is friendly to us, and we would be expected to bail her out of a genocide war, but when it comes to dealing with the Arabs, all Washington can do is warn, wiggle, and twist arms.

The idea that the super powers get their way with the rest of the world is a myth. There are limits beyond which neither can go.

Ironically, the United States within the last two years has received benefits beyond anything imaginable without lifting a finger in two widely disparate areas. Indonesia was fast going Communist and had she done so, would have made the island chain the third largest Communist nation in the world. American policy makers had just about washed their hands of Sukarno-land. As fate and luck would have it, a Red coup attempt failed and now Indonesia has cut adrift from Peking. Direct American influence had nothing to do with the turn of fortunate events.

The second piece of luck was Israel's mopping up of the Arabs. Israel acted alone, got the job done without asking the United States anything. Perhaps that's why the nation is being so prickly about staying in Old Jerusalem.

As Washington and Moscow wrestle with the problems created by friendly powers, the leaders in each capital undoubtedly wish they were as powerful as the myths would have them believe.

## Unusual Panama Pact

President Johnson's recent announcement that negotiators for the United States and Panama have agreed on new treaties governing the control, defense and neutrality of the Panama Canal has aroused considerable trepidation in Congress and among the people of this country.

No details of the proposed treaties were disclosed by Johnson or a simultaneous announcement by President Marco A. Robles in Panama but congressional sources said one of the treaties would forfeit United States authority over the Canal Zone, guaranteed in perpetuity in a 1903 treaty, in favor of a dual authority in Panama.

Great numbers of people throughout the United States wonder whether our State Department is constantly made up of appeasers or whether appeasement as a policy has been handed down from President to President ever since the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt took office. Ever since our national administrations gave up constitutional government in favor of ideologies they have also adopted a policy of appeasement toward every country or territory in the world which have made demands upon them.

In dealing with other nations, the United States has been far worse than Mr. Milquetoast. We have heard of "robbing Peter to pay Paul," but our national administrations always seem willing to rob the people of the United States to pay anybody that wants something of what we legally and justly own.

A United Press International news dispatch said the treaties were expected to arouse considerable opposition in Congress. It is difficult to imagine how members of Congress or anyone else could justify nullifying an "in perpetuity" contract between the United States and Panama simply because Panama decided it wanted to have a "say" in the management of property acquired by the United States under a legal sale. We have heard it said of some people that "he would give away his own shirt," but it appears as if several successive national administrations, including the present one, have been willing to give away the people's shirts.

While contents of the treaties

were kept secret, they doubtless will reflect a joint statement by Johnson and Robles of September 24, 1965, in which they announced agreement to scrap the 1903 treaty and recognize Panama's sovereignty over the 100-mile-wide Canal Zone.

President Johnson's decision to negotiate for a new canal to replace the 53-year-old system of locks and lakes through which ships from around the world travel from ocean to ocean, follows rioting in the Canal Zone in January, 1964, by Panamanians demanding that their national flag be flown over the Balboa High School on an equal footing with the American flag. Diplomatic relations between the two countries were broken for three months.

Panama virtually subsists on revenue it receives from the United States in the operation of the Canal Zone. Without this assistance from the United States, it would surely be placed on the "poverty" list. Although the United States bought the Canal Zone outright for all time, it now receives \$1,930,000 annually under an already effective amendment to the 1903 treaty.

Now Panama not only wants more control but more money.

In thinking of United States dealings with other countries, it is extremely hard to find any logical acts. Even so, giving part ownership of the Canal Zone back to Panama, without the slightest reason of justification, seems to reach new heights in the illogical.

President Johnson said the new treaties call for a new sea-level canal between the Atlantic and Pacific but this probably was thrown in as a means of pacifying Congress. If the United States wants a new canal, it should retain its rights to the present canal and negotiate separately for additional property if necessary. Actually, there are other logical canal routes.

The immediate reaction in Congress to the Johnson proposal was one of anger. Somewhat typical of the sentiment was an expression by Representative Daniel J. Flood, D., Pa., to the House. He said:

"I'm so mad about this coming up on top of the Middle East crisis, I could spit."

Flood has consistently opposed



## Views Of Our Readers

### Hits Labor Action

To the Editor: Ferriday, La.

Many of us patriotic Americans were blessed with parents, who, early in our life, indoctrinated us in our American way of life. They taught us in times of great crisis.

Americans have always joined together in an unyielding force to protect the freedom we love.

From the bloodstained snows of Valley Forge to the steaming jungles of Vietnam, Americans have stood together bravely and effectively, but those are the big battles, the clearly defined dangers. We should have,

long ago, made some concrete plans to stop our federal government from making laws that have destroyed our Constitution, one article at a time, which guarantee us continued liberty.

I can remember in President Roosevelt's first administration the Congress passed a bill called the National Recovery Act (NRA). This was also called the Blue Eagle because the emblem in this document was a blue, bald eagle. This was a good masterpiece of price-fixing and infringement on the private enterprise system and a great step toward destroying the Constitution of the United States.

This was violently, suddenly and clearly defined danger so again Americans joined together with Henry Ford in the Big Battle to defeat and repeal this bill.

We sometimes must look back to our experience of yesterday to see where we are today and for wisdom to guide us on to a better life for tomorrow.

Since the death of the Roosevelt Blue Eagle, every article in it and many other bills have been passed one at a time that will eventually destroy all our freedom, justice and liberty guaranteed by our Constitution of the United States and the most disgusting thing about this is that they are endorsed and supported by the AFL-CIO with the southern labor dues.

I would like to ask the AFL-CIO members:

1. Did you approve and support the Civil Rights Bill? The AFL-CIO did.

2. Did you approve and support the forced integration (or forced association) bill? The AFL-CIO did.

3. Did you approve the right to vote without qualification bill? The AFL-CIO did.

4. Did you authorize the AFL-CIO to donate \$1,500,000 of your money to teach the southern people to accept the Negro in school and employment?

5. Did you authorize the AFL-CIO to donate \$160,000 of your money for the Birmingham demonstration?

6. Did you authorize the AFL-CIO to donate \$120,000 of your money for the Selma to Montgomery march?

7. Now I would like to ask how much did they donate you while you were out on strike?

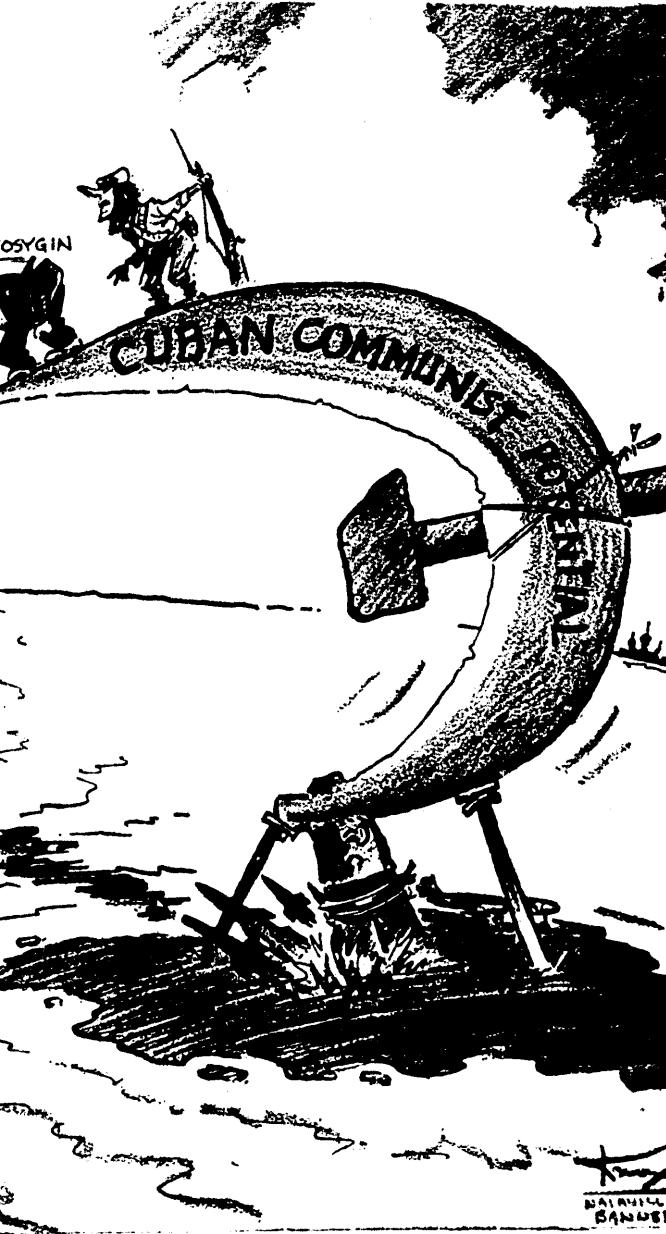
There are many more questions similar to these that I could ask. These are gradual and silent encroachments on our constitution but the abridgement of our freedom is just as final — just as deadly — as if it had occurred violently and suddenly.

I dare to say you cannot find an American family that has not a loved one that has died or wearing a battle scar fighting for freedom in foreign lands and we are paying high taxes to support these wars. Yet, we

are relinquishing any United States sovereignty over the Canal Zone to Panama.

Giveaways inside this country and outside have reached the point at which we would shake in our boots if Mexico were to ask the State Department to give Texas to the Mexicans. We would be afraid Mexico would get Texas.

### Checking It For 'Sharp'



can see our Constitution that guarantees us freedom, justice, and liberty being destroyed step by step and we will not do one thing to defend it. Have we replaced bravery for cowardice, Americanism for Communism and freedom for prosperity?

I was a charter member of the AFL pulp and sulphite local at Georgetown, S. C., and was active in organizing the Internal Paper Company there in 1937-38 but in 1958 the AFL-CIO had become so adverse to our American way of life I went suspended from non-payment of dues.

There are actions being taken at this time to organize the south in a labor union, with our aim to "Free America First" and relieve the working man of the shackles, one union, one choice that he is wearing today. I am proud to say I am part of this movement to defend our Constitutional rights and our employers from infringement by the Federal Government in private enterprises while we are raising the living standard of the working man.

We feel confident that we can count on your cooperation in our continuing effort to build ever better on the good foundation by our forefathers. However, we would prefer to receive your assurance and ideas in your own words.

Yours for constitutional government.

Isiah Levens

La. Not Great Yet

Alexandria, La.

To the Editor: Through the press of our state and on TV we have read, seen and heard most of what Governor John McKeithen said in his speech to the Louisiana legislature on the last day of the recent session.

I would call to the attention of the good editor and the people of our wonderful state one statement he made as to his opinion of Louisiana which appears to be quite revealing. He said, Louisiana was not a great state. However, he conceded that she was about to become one.

One cannot but wonder by what standard did he make this sad judgment. By what power of authority does he institute him-

self the spokesman to reveal the coming greatness of Louisiana? Was it vanity and personal conceit that caused this vain prediction? By what rule of propriety does our governor stand before the duly elected representatives of the people and say, in so many words, that our state is not a great state?

It is obvious that the legislature which voted him over a billion-dollar budget did not impress him. It is plain that he forgot all about the lovely people of "lovely Louisiana" and how they have voted to allow him to run for a second term of office, when he formed the opinion that Louisiana was not a great state.

Why the governor cannot now find the greatness in Louisiana is hard to understand. We who love Louisiana know that she is great. We know the charity of her citizens, their humility before God. We have witnessed their calmness through storm and disaster, their sober thought and wise decisions in matters of government. In a thousand ways we know and have known the love of "lovely Louisiana".

It is respectfully submitted that the true standard by which a state may be judged as to greatness is one which would truly appraise the charm, beauty and high moral qualities of its people. The citizens of lovely Louisiana have all these qualifications and more. Therefore, Louisiana is a great state, John McKeithen to the contrary notwithstanding.

Henry O. Williams Sr.

Baptist Convention

Alto, La.

To the Editor: In a Monroe Morning World dated June 11, there was a letter from Mr. Jimmie C. Works, in the article "View of Our Readers". In this letter he made a statement that I challenge as being untrue.

I agree with him that our country is in a very low state. Communism is running wide open. The implication I gathered was the Southern Baptist were put in the same category with communists by his statement that he was about to become one.

I would like to ask how much did they donate you while you were out on strike?

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The National Park Service

has given up on the idea of moving Plymouth Rock. Another good idea might be to tear down Pike's Peak and put it up in some part of the country where more people could see it.

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James R. Beasley,

Pat On The Back

Alexandria, La.

To the Editor:

Please ask your readers to join in "Operation: Pat on the Back." This is an effort to per-

suade every American to write

a cheery July 4th greeting to a

serviceman in Vietnam.

Many of your readers have

relatives who are fighting in

Vietnam. But in case they do

not, they can write to the son of

a friend, or write to a boy who

have in the past, substantially to

govern their own affairs.

This subject to certain limitations, is altogether healthy. If the YR's were completely controlled by the senior party, they would certainly not have the 400,000 members they now do, and anyway the YR's are not children, but young men and women in their twenties and early thirties. Their choice of a conservative as chairman, in the absence of a demonstration that the election was rigged or that liberal Republicans are being discriminated against in the state conventions, simply reflects the mood of Republican youth, and it is a mood some of us rejoice over.

The attempt to make them appear extremist goes undocumented for the simple reason that it is undocumented. The convention, for instance, rejected the alluring, but sadly impractical, Liberty Amendment. And there wasn't even a resolution proffered, as there had been at Miami two years earlier by a cherubic young lad of noble vision, that the UN building in New York be dismantled, and converted into a memorial for the late Senator Joe McCarthy.

THE YR's, far from evidencing any patience with racism, cheered the victory of Senator Brooke of Massachusetts, and the disdain of Governor Rockefeller, of Arkansas, for any racist rhetoric during his own campaign. They praised the work of Ray Bliss, and consented to representation by the senior party in the governing board of the YR's. On the other hand, they said "No-No-O" to the forces of Senator Hugh Scott, of Pennsylvania, who has been working ardently to satellize the YR's, and this time used New Jersey and Rhode Island as satellites.

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NOW if you pour a little water on that inflamed gibberish and fan away smoke, you will discover that what happened at Omaha is very simply this: that the young Republicans decided to continue in the future as they did, they said "No-No-O" to the forces of Senator Hugh Scott, of Pennsylvania, who has been working ardently to satellize the YR's, and this time used New Jersey and Rhode Island as satellites.

On the surface, that sounds like a fair and square contract, with the AEC supplying enriched uranium to OKG for 30 years at cost of \$45 million. In practice, the deal is not only a subsidy, courtesy of the American taxpayer, but it also leaves the United States stuck with the lethal radioactive waste which is the end product of the

**Editor's  
Lagniappe**

By Jack Gates

Every so often we receive a poem from readers that show, to us at least, a lot of imagination as well as ability. Such a poem is one by Dyane Allen, a 16-year-old sophomore at Ouachita Parish High School who lives at Bosco. Here it is:

**LITTLE JIMMY**

"Mommy," said little Jimmy, on the day he had turned four,

"Where is my daddy? Why isn't he here anymore?"

"Mommy," said the little boy, trembling like a leaf in the wind,

"Why did they take my daddy and put him in the ground?"

"Mommy, I need my daddy, you know I love him so.

"Tell him I'll always be good, just tell him not to go."

"I'll give him all my tops wrapped up in a sack

"Cause, Mommy, I'll do anything if only he'll come back."

"I'll give him my red fire truck and my entire box of clay."

"I'll give him my big stuffed bear, if he'll come back to stay."

"I want to hug my daddy, I want to hold him tight,"

"Will my daddy be able to come and tuck me in tonight?"

His mother didn't know quite what the future would hold.

For how can you explain death to a boy of only four?

"Come to Mommy, Jimmy, and please son do not cry."

"For your daddy's gone to another home in the sky."

"Your daddy's up in Heaven, wearing a crown of gold,

"He's with God, son, in the land where he'll never grow old."

"He plays upon his harp so fine and looks down from the sky,

"Thinking of the time we'll join him in the by and by."

"So, be a man, now Jimmy, and run outside and play."

"Your father would want you happy, he'd want you to be gay."

Trying to hold back tears, he toddled through the door.

But little did his mother know, he wouldn't return anymore."

For his kitten ran across the road and into the path of a truck,

And when Jimmy tried to save it, alas, he, too, got struck.

His mother came out running, not knowing what to say.

How could she lose her son and husband in the course of a single day?

But the little boy was dead, and on his face a look of peace.

The pain he felt for his father had now ceased.

His mother wrapped her arms around her son so tight.

And whispered, "Goodbye Jimmy, your father will tuck you in tonight."

**Remarks Of Trouble**

Certain remarks can lead only to trouble, but often too few of us have the ability to refrain, or at least pick a better time to say them. Here are some examples that nearly always cause trouble:

"If you don't like the way I'm doing my job, you can always get someone else to do it, hub?

"I could have cooked a better dinner with my eyes closed."

"That trip to the beauty parlor, plus the \$30 bill didn't improve your looks."

"Would you mind reaching over and holding the wheel while I light up a cigarette? Don't worry — we're only doing 70."

"Look at that fit your son is throwing. You can sure tell from what side of the family he got his character."

"Your mother's coming again? She only left yesterday after spending three weeks here."

"Why do you always want to see a film if Julie Christie is in it? What has she got that I don't have?"

"I suggest you load up on this stock now while it's still selling at a buck a share. The hot tip on Wall Street is that the firm is working on a way to make candy bars out of clover."

"Oh, go ahead and park here. What if we aren't quite 15 feet from the fire plug? Traffic officers don't carry measuring tapes with them, do they?"

"Well, do you get the idea?"

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**Playing Percentages**

Up until the coming of the New Deal, state and local governments across the country collected something like two-thirds to three-fourths of all taxes. Only one tax dollar in every three or four went to Washington.

By 1938, this proportion was beginning to reverse itself. During World War II, of course, it was completely reversed, with federal taxes and expenditures reaching a peak of more than 80 per cent of the total for the year 1944. From that point it decreased slowly, but budgets for which the Eisenhower administration was responsible decreased the Federal tax take only from 74.3 per cent to 68.7 per cent. Federal tax collections and expenditures for 1966 were 65.5 per cent, almost exactly two-thirds of the national total.

When Eisenhower took office, he appointed a committee to study how some of the over-centralized government functions could be returned to the states, and how equivalent tax collections could be retained by state and local government. Clarence E. Manion, for many years Dean of the Law School at Notre Dame, headed the committee. Its comprehensive report was pigeon-holed, reportedly by the late Sherman Adams, himself a former state governor. With the advent of Eisenhower's second term, another committee was appointed for the same purpose. Dean Manion remarked, "This is where I came in." The second committee's report also came to naught.

This long and uninterrupted pattern of centralization brings into focus and explains why local governments are having such a hard time finding ways to finance even the curtailed functions that have been left them. It also brings to mind the colossal waste that has resulted when local administrators, familiar with local conditions and persons, lose control.

Flush with funds that local and state governments once collected, the Potomac bureaucrats appear to believe that any problem can be solved by hurling dollars at it—presumably by millions or billions.

In our opinion, restoring the original ratio of tax collections would be more effective. And we think the dollars thus

# The World's Week In Focus

By OLAND SILK



**GOV. RONALD REAGAN**, left, arrives in Sacramento with press aide, Lyn Nofziger, after a get-together with fellow Western Governors in Montana. Reagan was showered with attention as signs pointed to a conservative swing in his direction and away from Richard Nixon.

lagging prospects. Rockefeller is the nation's No. 1 supporter of Romney.

He and Governor Chaffee urged their colleagues to draft 1968 campaign strategy to give Romney a run for the nomination before turning elsewhere for a candidate to oppose President Johnson. It was strictly a block - Reagan move. Rockefeller himself, for all his desire for a moderate nominee, was not optimistic. He said, "There are so many different viewpoints within the party that I do not know whether we can ever come to any agreement on what the qualifications of a candidate should be."

**IN SACRAMENTO**, Republicans were banking money and political credit in hopeful anticipation of a convention deadlock and Reagan stampede. The same Republicans who backed his lassos of the California governorship are convinced he can lead the GOP to the White House. Wealthy party members, said Dr. Max Rafferty, superintendent of public instruction, "make no bones about the fact that they are planning and hoping" for a deadlock that will hand the nomination to Reagan. He found this out, said Rafferty, when he tried to finance a primary campaign against liberal Republican Senator Thomas Kuchel. In short, they were saving their money and energy for the big event.

No sooner had the Westerners broke camp than the Republican Governors Conference moved from stage center at Jackson, Wyoming. There, Rockefeller and Rhode Island's John Chaffee launched a drive to revive Romney's

for three straight nights, roaming Negro youths rioted, broke windows, looted and burned stores. Snipers fired away at 400 helmeted police armed with shotguns and tear gas. By noon Friday,

twelve persons had been wounded, 18 others injured, and 100 arrested.

Police estimated that about 1,000 Negroes — some totting rocks and others armed with knives — roamed the streets Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Many of them were children, not yet 13.

**BUFFALO'S** population is just under a half million. Negroes make up 13.3 per cent — about 66,000 — of the total. Most of them live in the East Side. Mayor Frank Sedita met with 200 young Negroes in an effort to restore calm. They complained of few jobs, poor recreational facilities and educational programs. Sedita requested a week's time to iron out the problems.

**PRESIDENT** Johnson auditioned two campaign themes, one before the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the other at an anti-poverty center in Philadelphia. To the Jaycees, he raged against cussers and doubters, and told them of America's vast riches. Count Your Blessings, he advised indirectly. At the Opportunities Industrialization Center in Philly, a locally developed program to train jobless adults, most of them Negroes, he told the workers how they had inspired him to believe that "we — all 200 million of us — are going to make it."

**THE RELUCTANCE** of the Senate to punish Dodd for diverting "at least \$116,083 and for double billing introduced an element of legislative compassion "sadly missing in my case," he added.

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## Republicans Shift Gears But No Bandwagons Roll

### More On Garrison

THREE NEWS organizations have investigated the Warren Report and its critics. The National Broadcasting Company, Columbia Broadcasting System, and The Associated Press all agree on one point: the Warren Report was correct in concluding that Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone — in view of no evidence to the contrary — in killing President John Kennedy.

All news media found flaws in the report, but nothing to warrant the full challenge of New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison. The giant, controversial law officer was challenged himself last week, and by a powerful source: his chief investigator, William Gurvich.

**GURVICH**, a private detective, went before the New Orleans Grand Jury to tell what he had informed the press following his resignation — or dismissal — from Garrison's office. Gurvich said the Kennedy assassination was solved "long ago by the Warren Commission"; that Garrison had no case against Clay Shaw; that Garrison had committed illegal and unethical practices in carrying out his investigation.

Garrison fired back that Gurvich was part of the "eastern headquarters of the Establishment" trying to sabotage his investigation.

The grand jury will hear more of Gurvich's testimony in two weeks.

Other witnesses before the jury brought out that Clay Shaw was not the mysterious "Clay Bertrand" as claimed by Garrison. One other statement raised eyebrows. This was Gurvich's charge that Garrison had at one time considered arresting several prominent New Orleans citizens as accessories to the conspiracy, and that he once ordered a midnight raid on the local FBI office to confiscate wiretap tapes.

Quickly, around the world:

**ISRAEL** caused apoplexy in the United Nations and Washington by annexing the old city of Jerusalem. The annexation came just as King Hussein met with President Johnson. The President condemned the one-sided action as "hasty" and an obstacle to peace in the Middle East. The American position is that adequate recognition must be given to the special interests of the three great religions in that holy place of Jerusalem. These are Christian, Moslem, and Jewish. Why the Israeli chose to defy their American friends was a matter of speculation.

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The council was also reportedly annoyed at Ky's premature campaigning in violation of the legal starting date.

The United States mission in Saigon, ever anxious to set Vietnamese democracy on the right path, breathed a sigh of relief. It was a victory for the mission, no less than General Thieu.

## The Week's Twin Cities-Area News In Review

**THE** news of the week in the Twin Cities and Northeast Louisiana ranged from dedication of a new plant to money and water problems.

spent, by people on the spot, would be more effective, too.

**Could Be Better**

The Arabs in those areas now under control of Israel after the recent lighting-like war could eventually be better off than they would be under their own Arab rulers — even if the Israelis keep doing 70."

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Up until the coming of the New Deal, state and local governments across the country collected something like two-thirds to three-fourths of all taxes. Only one tax dollar in every three or four went to Washington.

By 1938, this proportion was beginning to reverse itself. During World War II, of course, it was completely reversed, with federal taxes and expenditures reaching a peak of more than 80 per cent of the total for the year 1944. From that point it decreased slowly, but budgets for which the Eisenhower administration was responsible decreased the Federal tax take only from 74.3 per cent to 68.7 per cent. Federal tax collections and expenditures for 1966 were 65.5 per cent, almost exactly two-thirds of the national total.

When Eisenhower took office, he appointed a committee to study how some of the over-centralized government functions could be returned to the states, and how equivalent tax collections could be retained by state and local government. Clarence E. Manion, for many years Dean of the Law School at Notre Dame, headed the committee. Its comprehensive report was pigeon-holed, reportedly by the late Sherman Adams, himself a former state governor. With the advent of Eisenhower's second term, another committee was appointed for the same purpose. Dean Manion remarked, "This is where I came in." The second committee's report also came to naught.

This long and uninterrupted pattern of centralization brings into focus and explains why local governments are having such a hard time finding ways to finance even the curtailed functions that have been left them. It also brings to mind the colossal waste that has resulted when local administrators, familiar with local conditions and persons, lose control.

Flush with funds that local and state governments once collected, the Potomac bureaucrats appear to believe that any problem can be solved by hurling dollars at it—presumably by millions or billions.

In our opinion, restoring the original ratio of tax collections would be more effective. And we think the dollars thus

condition at Lincoln General Hospital after he was shot in the face, apparently by accident.

**SEVERAL KILLED**

Fatalities in the area during the past week include Ellis F. Cranford, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cranford, Rt. 1, Farmerville. He was killed Wednesday evening when the car he was driving left La. 151, south of Farmerville.

Floyd Simon, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Lottie Louviere of New Iberia and a student at the Ruston State School, drowned while swimming at Lake D'Arbonne at Farmerville Monday.

A Fort Worth, Tex., man, John Thomas Barts, 23, was killed and six other persons injured in a crash near Rayville on U. S. 80 over the weekend.

A Jackson Parish sheriff's deputy and school board member, faced with trial at Jonesboro on criminal malfeasance in office, has resigned his board position.

Charges were dropped in Second Judicial Court Monday, apparently ending a six-months effort by Ward 1 citizens and a political newsletter published in Jonesboro against Harvey A. Spillers, Eros. Spillers had served on the school board for 22 years.

A drive-in diner in Lake Providence was burglarized of \$300, mostly in small change, Monday night. The East Carroll Sheriff's Department was continuing a search for clues into the burglary of an unlocked safe, three pin ball machines, a cigarette machine and juke box.

The Ruston city council has accepted bids for turbine installation and power wiring in the new addition of the Ruston power plant. Low bidder for the wiring at \$167,208 plus \$315 for cable was Freeborn Electrical Service of Monroe. General Electrical of Schenectady, N.Y., was low bidder on the turbine installation at \$6

# 'Chuck' Percy On Everybody's List Of GOP Dark Horses

*It's another year until the Republican convention, but Sen. Charles H. Percy of Illinois already is being widely discussed as one who may be considered for nomination. He is now only a splinter in the woodpile of presidential timbers, but this self-made millionaire is a man to watch. The politicians are watching.*

By ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON, AP — A quiet Republican politician has recently emerged as his party's leading potential candidate for president in 1968. Chuck, curiously like a butcher hacking cuts of beef, he ticked off the assets and shortcomings of each.

When he had finished, he sighed thoughtfully and said: "You know, I have this funny feeling that none of them will make it. I've got this hunch we'll wind up naming Chuck Percy."

Although many observers are placing this same long shot hunch, few political phenomena are harder to explain than Sen. Charles Harting Percy, R-Ill.

He's on everybody's list of GOP dark horses. Opinion polls show his popularity steadily increasing. His words are weighed carefully as they flow articulately and copiously.

"You put a microphone in front of him, and he comes on," says an admiring friend, Rep. Donald Rumsfeld, R-Ill.

At 48, Percy has run for office only twice, losing his race for governor in Illinois in 1964, defeating 73-year-old Sen. Paul Douglas in 1966. A score of promising Republicans have more spectacular records.

#### MENTIONS HANDICAPS

When Percy is asked about the presidency, he quickly mentions other handicaps. "I've been in office less than six months. And I can't believe the nomination will be offered to anyone who doesn't actively seek it."

Every politician-watcher knows this but they all watch Percy.

Normally a freshman senator is little noticed until, of course, his name is mentioned. But Percy contends that Republican successes of 1966, generating dreams of glory in 1968, have wrought startling changes.

He says what has happened to him has also happened to his four freshman GOP colleagues in the Senate: Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee, Edward W. Brooke of Massachusetts, Clifford P. Hansen of Wyoming and Mark O. Hatfield of Oregon.



**IN HIS FIRST ELECTIVE OFFICE** — as Republican senator from Illinois, elected last November — Charles H. Percy has gained considerable popularity. Here he hurries up the Senate steps as he arrives at the Capitol in Washington recently. (AP Newsfeatures Photo)

Gradually party and public accept the harsh truth that no man measures up to the ideal president.

Now the drawbacks, real or imaginary, are dredged up. Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon is a two-time loser. Gov. George Romney of Michigan jumped in too far too fast. Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York says he isn't a candidate, and there's that divorce and remarriage business.

Gov. Ronald Reagan of California, like Percy, is a fresh face, but some Republican strategists think that Sen. Barry Goldwater's crushing loss to Lyndon B. Johnson will hamper him. They think Reagan is stuck with a conservative label, and that the party may be reluctant to travel that road again so soon.

Percy may be making the same point, although he mentions no names, when he says: "From 1964 to 1967 the party has

switched from ideology to pragmatism." Translations: The party now parts for someone it thinks will be a winner.

Five feet eight inches tall, with reddish brown hair and brown eyes, Percy is not an imposing physical specimen. His major speeches may amuse, and inform his audiences, but they do not set them on fire. His causes, such as free trade and closer relationships with various behind the Iron Curtain, may bewilder his constituents.

"My staff tells me 'You're a genius for pushing causes that are virtually impossible,'" he says.

#### ATTRIBUTE RESPECTED

But he has one attribute analogous respect: a spectacular knack for being at the right spot at the right time.

Even his Sunday School administration was fortuitous. He is a Christian Socialist and his Sunday School teacher was Joseph R. McNamara, president of S&P & Howell, the currency makers. At 25, Percy was a busy member in S&P & Howell. When McNamara died in 1968, he will succeed Percy at 26 as his successor. Under Percy, S&P & Howell prospered. So did Percy.

He became a millionaire, a businessman who dashed about the world, who took stances that hurtched some other businessmen who suffered at politics. Two years ago was counted as a promising seedling that might grow into a presidential timber although some critics maintained that he kept his reputation by never risking it in tough political combat.

Percey finally ran for governor in 1964, but nobody didn't see how I could lose," he says. But lose he did, along with hundreds of other Republicans. He was defeated by incumbent Gov. Otto Kerner.

Even here the disaster wasn't total. His defeat was chalked up more to the personal Republican times than to him.

Watching Percy, urbane, seemingly at ease in any situation, it is hard to remember that he has known hard luck and tragedy. His family was on relief during the Depression. Young Chuck worked his way through the University of Chicago. His mother, a concert violinist, fiddled gamely in a WPA orchestra to help keep the family going.

These experiences account for Percy's greatest satisfaction of his brief senatorial career, a bill that would help the poor to own their own homes. The bill may get nowhere, although it has been promised a hearing, but it already has

one distinction: it has the support of all 36 Republican senators.

"That's the first time in 50 years that has happened," Percy says.

After six years of marriage, Percy's first wife died in 1947, leaving twins, Valerie and Sharon, and a son, Roger. Percy married Loraine Guyer — he met her while skiing at Sun Valley, Idaho — in 1950. They have two children, Gail and Mark.

#### DAUGHTER SLAIN

Then on Sept. 18, 1966, at 5 a.m. on a quiet Sunday in the rich Chicago suburb of Kenilworth, a shocking crime was committed. Valerie, 21, fresh out of college and planning to teach French, was kidnapped and stabbed to death in her bed. Her murderer has never been discovered.

The other twin, Sharon, also kept tabs on the news. Her marriage to John D. Rockefeller IV, a Democrat in the West Virginia House of Delegates, looks like the wedding of 1967. It also launched Percy with father-in-law status. At a Republican dinner in Third Watch, he said: "I'm not here to condemn the Democratic party. It's the party of George Wallace, but it's also the party of my son-in-law."

Percy says having another politician in the family is delightful, especially since young Rockefeller has an appealing sense of humor. "Dad and I have such fun together," Percy says. "As he said at the wedding reception: 'What we have in common is that we're both self-made men.'

New what he's made, Percy clings to trappings that were essential in his youth. He had some time to kill before a recent plane flight, and he needed a barbershop, but confessed he hated to pay for it since free Barber is one of the senatorial fringe benefits at the Capitol.

"Everybody has some economy," he said. "Mine is excess baggage." He pays to board his plane tickets cost, but is upset if his bags are overweight.

On a one-day trip to Michigan he had no such worries. His hosts supplied a private plane, but he took along only a badly scuffed attache case.

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a suspicion that Percy fosters such comparisons. In his speeches he often tells the story of his son Mark and Percy's swearing-in. Daddy hustled home that night to see how his 13-year-old responded to the great event. "Gee, it was great," Mark said, holding out his hand. "Teddy Kennedy shook that hand. I'll never wash it again."

Like the Kennedys, Percy has surrounded himself with brisk young men and women who are intolerant of delays and indifferent to political folklore that explains why certain things can't be done.

#### PLAYS IT COOL

Right now Percy can afford to play it cool. He praises his competitors. In Michigan, for example, he used these words to describe George Romney: "Integrity, honesty, forthrightness, courage and boldness. He is an outstanding man who has brought outstanding men into public life." But he never endorsed Romney — or anybody else.

He plays it cool with the administration too. On the great issues of war and peace, he generally supports the President. But in the Middle East, he says, he has doubts about the quality of the government's advance planning. And in Vietnam he finds the President wrong in putting pacification under military rather than civilian direction without advance notice. "There should be debate on anything of such profound significance," he said.

As for the hard-to-define word, escalation, Percy says: "I'm critical of superhawking. I think that's my job."

He tops this off by seeming to agree with a sentiment he says he has been hearing lately: "Possibly only a change in administration could end the war."

Of the current GOP possibilities, it looks as if only Percy could miss in 1968 and still rate serious consideration in 1972.

A story he tells about his son-in-law may give a hint as to his own feelings: A woman asked: "Mr. Rockefeller, are you just using this as a stepping stone to the governor's chair?"

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## Area Pilot Faces Many Combat Perils

By RUTH COOKSEY  
Correspondent

As a decorated pilot in the famed "Robin Hood" helicopter company serving in Vietnam, 1st Lt. Jack Cornett of Urania lives face to face with death every day.

In early June he had a close brush with death when his helicopter hit a concealed cable and crashed, killing six of the 10 men aboard. His co-pilot had swapped seats with Cornett and taken the controls shortly before the crash. The co-pilot was one of those killed.

Lt. Cornett escaped only seconds before the "copter" burst into flames, having to jerk his seat belt three times before he could extricate himself and roll out of the cockpit.

This is just one of the experiences related by his wife, Mrs. Martha Cornett, who lives in Olla with their two children, Cara, 5, and Dana, 1.

#### RECENTLY RETURNED

Mrs. Cornett has just returned from Hawaii recently where she spent her husband's week leave with him. She knew nothing of her husband's narrow escape until she met him in Hawaii and saw the burns which he sustained from the burning fuel.

Lt. Cornett is a 1955 graduate of Northeast State College in Monroe, where he took four years of ROTC. He received his helicopter training at Fort Walters, Tex., and at Fort Rucker, Ala. He has been in Vietnam for nine months.

The "Robin Hood" is a nickname for the 173rd Assault Helicopter Company, one of the most decorated groups in the combat zone. These helicopter pilots support the 1st Infantry Division and perform a variety of tasks, such as air-lifting troops into combat areas, carrying supplies to them, evacuating the wounded and aiding the fighters in any way needed.

While the "Robin Hood" touch down to let out troops, the "Crossbows," gunner helicopters circle around the area to give protection. Mrs. Cornett said in describing her husband's job.

Cornett has flown over 1,000 hours in combat zones during his nine months in Vietnam. He has received two bronze stars, four air medals and has been recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross. He has taken part in the Attleboro, Junction City, and Cedar Falls operations, among others. His unit is stationed 21 miles northeast of Saigon at Lai Kat, an old abandoned rubber plantation.

#### TERMINOLOGY

As the unit is called the "Robin Hood," the plantation is known as "Sherwood Forest." Any man on patrol is referred to as the "Sheriff of Nottingham," Mrs. Cornett pointed out.

These pilots put in long hours, many times getting up at four in the morning. There is no rest when they return to camp, for there are other duties, which often keep them up late at night. Lt. Cornett has said that they are on call at all times.

The pilot's crash is not the first narrow escape for the young Urania native. He related in a letter to his wife, that recently while three helicopters were going in for a landing a Viet Cong sniper hit the first two. The second "copter" crashed, and Cornett was in the third, which managed to avoid being hit by the enemy marksman hidden in a tree. He has been shot at on other occasions, with bullets bouncing off his skids on one occasion, his wife said.

The lieutenant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cornett of Urania, and his wife is the former Martha Ann Brooks of Olla. She is also a 1965 graduate of Northeast and has been teaching in the Olla Elementary School while her husband is in Vietnam.

#### TAPE RECORDINGS

In order to keep in closer touch, the Cornetts supplement their letters with tape recordings. In this way he can hear



STANDING BESIDE his helicopter is 1st Lt. Jack Cornett of Urania. As a pilot with the famed "Robin Hood" helicopter company in Vietnam, Lt. Cornett has had many close brushes with death.



MRS. MARTHA CORNETT and her husband, 1st Lt. Jack Cornett, of Urania, a helicopter pilot in Vietnam, exchange tape recordings to keep in close touch with each other. Here, Mrs. Cornett holds the microphone as their daughters, Cara, 5, and Dana, 1, make a recording to be sent to their father. (Photo by Ruth Cooksey)

his wife's and children's voices, and they enjoy hearing his. Another use of the tape recorder is made by the Rev George Sherman, pastor of the Olla Methodist Church, who sends taped sermons to the lieutenant, as well as to other servicemen.

Lt. Cornett appreciates these taped sermons, his wife said, since he is seldom able to attend the services provided for the men as he is on call seven days a week.

The Cornetts also exchange pictures regularly. Friends enjoy stopping by to see the slides and snapshots the lieutenant sends home, his wife relates. She has several hundred, depicting everything from the scenery to Viet Cong prisoners.

The pilot has a love for children, Mrs. Cornett says, and many of the pictures are of the Vietnamese children. They

seem to abound and hover around the servicemen, begging for caramels, candy and other food. On one occasion, after Lt. Cornett had given Cokes to one group, they followed him around for several hours, brushing his clothes and shoes. When they approached others, they would point to him and say "No. 19." That, to them, is the same as our expression, "A-1," the lieutenant explained in a letter.

Most of the men in his unit have a pet of some kind, but the monkey is the most prevalent, Lt. Cornett said. The monkeys are easy to obtain, as they are numerous in that area. One group caught a python snake and kept it around as a mascot, the lieutenant explained.

Lt. Cornett plans to enter the teaching profession when he finishes his tour of duty with the Army. He has only three months of duty left in Vietnam.

## Patience, Love, Skill Spark Therapy

By PAT HERLEVIC  
Staff Writer

Take a lot of patience, stir in some love, add professional skill and serve to 22 cerebral palsy children in need of therapy and you have the Northeast Louisiana Cerebral Palsy Association's summer program.

The purpose of the program, now in session, is to give speech and physical therapy to these children during the summer months in order to prevent regression before the regular CP school opens again in the fall.

"This is a very necessary and worth while program," says Miss Dorothy Kinnison.

Working with the children, who represent two-thirds of the regular term enrollment, are Miss Kinnison, physical therapist; Mrs. Fairy Carmack, speech therapist, and Mrs. Gladys Grubbs, aide. At this time there are no volunteers working with the program but there is the possibility of some in the near future. Graduate speech therapists, from Louisiana Tech, seeking an opportunity to work with CP children, are expected to come. "Each child has brought one of his toys to share with the others. This is

something that is often hard for one of these children to do, because they are given in, so much of the time," said the speech therapist.

During the day there are also short periods of relaxation and quiet not only for rest but to teach the children to day.

"It takes a lot of cooperation," says Mrs. Carmack, "yet the children help one another, because sometimes one of them can get a child to do something we can't."

The day begins at 8 a.m. but for some of them this is not early enough. They enjoy the school and look forward to going. But at 11 a.m. it is time for them to depart for home.

Aide Mrs. Grubbs also doubles as a bus driver by taking them back and forth. She said that she drives a total of 52 miles round-trip each day.

The program is being held at the Southwest Methodist Church, 1623 South 4th St., with the cooperation of Rev. Lea Joyner, pastor.

EIGHT-WEEK PROGRAM

It was noted that there is an overlapping among the areas of therapy. They must be coordinated together for the best progress.



THE DEVELOPMENT OF COORDINATION is one of the main jobs of Miss Dorothy Kinnison, physical therapist. Miss Kinnison is shown helping Melody Harveston learn to walk on her crutches. Sonny Russell (left) and Lurlene McLaughlin (right) are seated at the table working with blocks. This helps develop coordination of the fingers and eyes. (Staff Photo by John Fogelman)

## Patience, Love, Skill Spark Therapy

By PAT HERLEVIC

Staff Writer

**There's A Church Home For You in the Twin Cities...**

The earth is the fullness thereof.

Anyone desiring to know the location of a church of any denomination in the Twin Cities and the time of its Sunday services may call The Morning World at 323-2070, 323-3660, 323-0501 and ask for the church service directory. We'll be glad to supply you the information.



SCHEDULED FOR MISSION work in Brazil are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henderson and family, of Los Angeles, shown here, who will work under sponsorship

## Missionary Family Set For Journey

After spending two weeks in West Monroe meeting members of the White's Ferry Road Church of Christ, which will sponsor their mission work in Brazil, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henderson and their three children, will return Monday to Los Angeles, Calif.

The Hendersons and their children, Lyle, Leonard, and Carla Sue, will leave for Belo Horizonte, Brazil, July 17. They are part of the Advance Guard which will make preparations for the arrival of larger groups later, said church officials.

**ADVANCE GUARD** ... The Advance Guard consists of seven families composed of 37 persons.

In 1968 a large group of around 25 families — 70 persons — will go to Belo Horizonte to help in teaching the people there about Christ.

The families in this Church of Christ movement "have given up their homes and jobs to look for employment in Brazil so that they may win souls to Christ," said a church announcement. "Some of these people are preachers and teachers, but most of them, as the Hendersons, are simply dedicated Christians who love God and are concerned with the souls of others."

Belo Horizonte has a population of 1,125,000 and there are predictions that it will be doubled by 1970, said church officials. They added that Brazil is one of the fast growing countries, and is in urgent need of mission work.

## Three-Day Series At Church Here

Special services will be held at Maranatha Baptist Church, 809 Standiford St., Monroe, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, it was announced by the Rev. John Dallalio, pastor.

Services starting nightly at 7:30, will feature Buford DeLaughter, a chemist and member of Central Baptist Church, Baton Rouge, as evangelist.

Discussing the lay speaker, the Rev. Mr. Dallalio said, "God has used him greatly as a Bible teacher."

### EXPLANATIONS

The speaker gave the following, with explanations, as subjects to be discussed during the services:

—Wednesday — (No funeral, No Flowers, and No friends.) This is a survey of the last habitation of the sinner. It answers from the Bible why God made the Devil, where his final habitation is, if hell is literal, its geographical location, and why God called it a lake of fire.

—Thursday — (Corrosion Problems Among God's Teachers.) This is a Bible Study of several passages such as John 8. What Jesus meant when He told Nicodemus he had to be born again in the water, and other "hard" ver-

ses in God's Word.

—Friday — (Why I Personally Trod Onward To The Mark Of My Calling.) This brings out the end result of serving Christ, some things promised the child of God at the end of his life. Questions asked by people such as "By what name will I be called in Heaven?" will be answered.

## Mormon Records Kept Underground

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (AP) — Clap your hands and you can hear the sound echoing through the long corridor for nearly half a minute afterward. It's a strange place.

It is also the most extraordinary church-built sanctuary in the world. There's none like it. "Fantastic," "a mazing," "awesome," are some of the comments recorded in a visitors' book. "Stupendous," "unbelievable," beyond description."

Called the "Granite Mountain Records Vault," it is huge, underground labyrinth of gleaming halls, storage chambers and laboratories hewn into a solid rock escarpment—a busy, scientific refuge inside a mountain.

The atmosphere, with its utter isolation, its silent echoing corridors, its smock-clad technicians and their swishing, clicking microfilm-processing equipment, has an eerie, futuristic quality, like a James Bond movie set.

"We've only had one case of claustrophobia," remarked an official, Van Neiswender, noting that the interior had been planned to give a bright, spacious effect. "The man was all right once he got back outside."

**RECORDS STORAGE** Built to withstand any violence, including an atomic blast, the huge, nether-world vault was completed in 1965 by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints to provide safe storage for the world's genealogical records.

Its 65,000 square feet of floor space includes six 200-foot-long storage rooms, extending crosswise between side corridors and a central corridor penetrating 650 feet into the middle of the mountain 18 miles southeast of Salt Lake City.

Massive, steel doors, such as those on a bank vault, one of them weighing 14 tons, shield the entrances to the access corridors. For security purposes, only five officials know the combination of the door locks, and it is changed at intervals to guard against any leak.

Other protection is provided by an array of automatic equipment—fire detection devices, electro-magnetic air filters, temperature and humidity controls, automatic blast vents to seal the interior against radiation in case of nuclear explosion.

"It's the safest place on earth," said Neiswender, manager of the microfilm division of the church's genealogical society. It's fortified against ravages of time and the elements and destruction by man.

**VAULTS HALF-FULL** So far, only one of the vast storage vaults is just about half full of microfilm, 470,000 rolls of it stored in banks of green cabinets reaching to the 15-foot-high ceiling. Each roll contains about 2,000 pages of records, about 940 million pages altogether.

But that's just half the capacity of one storage chamber, and there are five others still empty. About 70 church camera teams currently are working in 13 countries, filming old church and government birth, death, property and other documents.

At the current rate, it'll take about 125 years to fill the six vaults," Neiswender said, noting that when that happens the capacity can be doubled, or more, by reducing film size or extending the tunnels.

Already the collection makes up the greatest accumulation of genealogical data in history, drawn from many sources, going back in some cases to the sixth century.

The special Mormon interest in determining names of their West Monroe

## Services Today At New Prospect Primitive Baptist

The New Prospect Primitive Baptist Church will hold song and preaching services today at the Labor Temple on Montgomery Ave., West Monroe.

Elder Leland Swanner of the Jonesboro Primitive Baptist Church, will conduct the services, which are held by the West Monroe church on the first Sunday of every month.

Services will be held from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Officials expressed the hope that work will get under way in September on building for the church at a site on the Old Monroe-Bastrop Road, just beyond Rowley Road. Progress was reported in a building fund raising drive now under way.

## Pulpit Guests Are Named

Three officials of the Louisiana Baptist Children's Home here have been named as pulpit guests in North Louisiana churches today.

Superintendent Wade B. East will speak at Haughton Baptist Church, Earl D. Mercer, public relations director, will be a pulpit guest at Columbia Heights Baptist Church, Clarence Powell, director of cottage life, will speak at Ridge Avenue Baptist Church, in determining names of their West Monroe

## Confident Living Daily Formula

# Depend On Divine Guidance

By NORMAN VINCENT PEALE

From time to time it is good to do some thinking about happiness and what makes for it. With our greatest patriotic holiday coming up this would seem a fitting time. The Declaration of Independence, commemorated on the Fourth of July, proclaims the pursuit of happiness a basic human right.

June 1776 the Continental Congress composed of delegates from 13 American

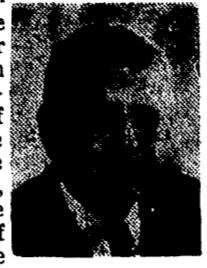
Colonies, decided to renounce allegiance to the British Crown and sever all political ties with Great Britain. They appointed a committee of five to draft a suitable proclamation. Among the five: Benjamin Franklin, age 70, and by far the most famous member of Congress; and two future presidents of the United States: John Adams of Massachusetts, age 41, and Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, age 33.

### REMARKABLE DOCUMENT

The committee asked Jefferson to do the actual writing. After consultation, principally with Franklin and Adams, he wrote a remarkable document. It was submitted to the Congress and after an all-day debate, with Adams vigorously defending its merits, was by unanimous vote accepted on July 4, 1776 with only minor changes and a few deletions. Thus Jefferson's inspired draft became the official Declaration of Independence.

It says: "We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." Notice the basic right is not happiness, but the pursuit of happiness. The philosophers of our American Revolution wisely avoided the guarantee of happiness. Inasmuch as it depends largely upon a person's mental attitude no government could confer it. But they did guarantee the right to pursue happiness. Believe me, that is quite a right.

The Founding Fathers had their views on what is conducive to happiness, and some of Jefferson's ideas on this subject



PEALE

States: John Adams of Massachusetts, age 41, and Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, age 33.

are stated in his inaugural address of 1801:

One of the certain "blessings" which he accounted for Americans being a happy and prosperous people was "religion . . . practiced in various forms, yet all of them including honesty, truth, temperance, gratitude, and the love of man." Another was the fact that we were a people "acknowledging and adoring an overruling Providence . . . that delights in the happiness of man here and his greater happiness hereafter."

Most Americans are aware that those who practice honesty, temperance, thankfulness and love are lots happier in the long run than those who don't. But are we equally aware of a sense of a Providence at work in human life? This belief was widespread in the early years of this nation's history. It shows in the public reaction to what occurred on the Fourth of July in 1828. John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, 91 and 83 years of age, died within a few hours of each other. The impact of their deaths is described in a biography by Page Smith:

"It was almost a week before word spread through the country that the two last great figures of the American Revolution had both died on the Fourth of July, 50 years to the day after the resolution of independence. It could not be said that Americans were struck dumb, rather the opposite. They were struck into an outpouring of wonder and astonishment. A great cry of amazement and awe arose from the nation. For those Americans of a religious persuasion it seemed . . . a peculiar instance of the intervention of that divine Providence which had guided the United States from its inception. Even hardened skeptics were shaken in their disbelief."

We of the present generation could surely do with more of this sense of Divine Providence. A belief in high destiny challenging us both individually and as a nation could lead on the road to greater happiness.

If our people would let their minds dwell a little more on the deeper mysteries of life, Divine guidance which was so great a part of the early days of our country would develop once again. To survive as a nation and discharge our leadership in the complex modern world can best be done through dependence upon the guidance of God as did our forefathers in their time.

## Lutherans Of Missouri Synod Slate Convention

Three million members of the Shreveport - Ruston - Alexandria - Monroe area who will represent the South District, which includes the states of Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, and the Florida Panhandle, are the Rev. Walter Link, pastor of the Redeemer Lutheran Church, Shreveport, and George Koch, lay representative of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Ruston. The Rev. Edgar Homrichhausen of New Orleans, president of the district, will lead the district delegation.

The convention, which will be held for the first time on the seashore, will review the Synod's program for the past two years and make plans for the next biennium. The New York Hilton Hotel will be convention headquarters.

Reports, memorials, and resolutions to be considered are contained in a 428-page "Convention Workbook." Topics include missions, education, relationships with other Lutherans, theological matters, Christian welfare, parish services, communications, and finances. A major item of business will be the proposal to change the name of the church body to "Lutheran Church International."

### MAJOR ESSAY

Dr. Oswald Hoffman, speaker on the international Lutheran Hour broadcasts, will deliver the major essay during the convention business sessions in the Grand Ballroom of the Hilton. The convention theme, "Justified by Grace" is a Reformation emphasis based on Romans 3:24, "They are justified by His grace as a gift, through the redemption which is in Christ Jesus."

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### AREA REPRESENTATIVES

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### EFFORTS STARTED

Efforts are now being made from both sides to take some of the heat out of the quarrel by arranging friendly but candid conversations about the reasons for the difference in view.

Two underlying facts are likely to become apparent in such a dialogue.

The first is that Christian leaders are concerned about the effect which pro-Israel statements might have on the large number of Protestant and Catholic missionaries at work in Arab countries.

The second is that Christians and Jews have a basic theological difference about the state of Israel. Most Christians think of Israel as a secular political entity, like any other small nation. But to Jews, Israel is the fulfillment of the Biblical promise that the Jews will one day return to their homeland. Thus Israel has a mystical significance for devout Jews, and preserving its existence is a religious duty which arouses in Jewish breasts a fervor comparable to that which might inspire a Catholic if the

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### HIGHER ECHELONS

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Each side accuses the other of betraying the spirit of interfaith harmony built up during recent years by Jewish-Christian cooperation on civil rights, poverty and other issues.

### UPPER ECHELON

The hard feelings are confined thus far to the higher echelons of religious leadership. At the grass roots, American Christians and Jews seem to be getting along better than ever, as a result of their shared admiration for the valor of the Israeli army.

The upper echelon friction dates back to the period immediately prior to the outbreak of fighting. At that time, no one knew that Israel was going to win a swift and easy victory. On the contrary, Israel seemed to be in mortal danger. It was surrounded by hostile Arab nations which had twice as many planes, tanks, guns and soldiers as Israel could mobilize. Egyptian Premier Abdel Gamal Nasser was proclaiming daily the Arab intention of "driving the Jews into the sea." The United Nations appeared to be unable or unwilling to do anything effective, and the United States, from which Israel thought it had security guarantees, was talking about neutrality.

"I don't believe that any American Christian has yet appreciated the agony of anxiety which existed in the American Jewish community during that period," a prominent rabbi told this reporter.

"In order to know how we feel, you must understand the strong sense of 'peoplehood' which unites Jews and causes every Jew to feel personally involved in the fate of all other Jews. You also must remember that we saw 6 million of our people slaughtered by Nazi Germany in World War II. Then you can begin to comprehend what it meant to hear (Egyptian Premier Abdel) Nasser declaring that he was going to exterminate the 2.5 million Jews in Israel."

### SEEK CHRISTIAN HELP

In this hour of acute anxiety, the American Jewish community turned to Protestant and Catholic organizations, such as the National Council of Churches and the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, with which it had long been engaged in various projects of interreligious cooperation.

Christian leaders were asked to issue strong public statements calling on the U.S. government to stand by Israel and, if necessary, intervene to prevent its destruction by the Arabs.

Some Christian leaders responded with statements sympathetic to Israel. Among them were Richard Cardinal Cushing of Boston, Lawrence Sheehan of Baltimore, Catholic Archbishop Paul J. Hallinan of Atlanta, and Protestant theologians Reinhold Niebuhr, Robert McAfee Brown, John C. Bennett and Franklin Littell.

But there was no word from

## Volunteers Sought For Survey Work

Monroe and West Monroe Baptist churches will begin enlisting a thousand volunteers today to conduct a religious survey of the area by telephone later this month.

The Rev. A. C. Cantrell of Monroe, census committee chairman, said that the Rev. Don Mabry, former Ruston resident who is serving with the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, will serve as survey director.

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### WORKER TRAINING

The volunteer workers will be trained prior to the survey, the Rev. Cantrell said. The principal purpose of the survey is to discover the unchurched people of the area. All participating churches will share in the findings.

The survey is a step in preparation for the "Strength for Living" crusade to be led by Dr. Leonard Sanderson October 1-15 in the Monroe Civic Center.

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# Away From Home

Richard Enwright

In summer the road was filled with small cars and roundtop trucks headed to and from Rome. Motor bikes buzzed in and out of the traffic, and a tour bus jolted along the road filled with happy Americans on an Italian holiday. In the fields nearby farm laborers worked much as they have down through the centuries. An interested donkey stood in front of a wagon near a shed. Tall trees lined both sides of the road but offered little shade from the noonday sun which shone overhead. A sign said, "Campagna." The road, covered with a macadam surface, was underlaid with stones and more than 2000 years of the most fascinating history the world has ever known. The way to

Campagna was the Appian Way built by Roman engineers in the times of the Old Republic. South of the Rhine and Danube Rivers, the Romans built hundreds of marvelously contrived aqueducts, bridges, temples, buildings, and houses, many of which have survived the centuries. But in all things the old Romans were master road builders. Roman roads connected the capital with the far-flung reaches of the empire and covered the world of the Mediterranean much like a stone spider web of great mileage. Good road builders of today still use the same principles set down by Roman Army engineers, for those roads were built to last. Rome lasted a

thousand years and many of the roads trod by the centurions and legionaries are still in use today.

Nero thought of his epic "poem to the fire" on a hill near the city. Even as he stood, he could see the flames which were then consuming Rome and many of its citizens. Now history has it that Nero was the incendiary, the fire setter. Possibly he did think of the flames as the destroyers of the old, forerunners of a new and magnificent city with him, Nero, Ahenobarbus, as the chief designer. But there are varying stories. Whatever might have happened, the city was largely destroyed with its great villas, majestic buildings, and hodgepodge of narrow, twisting streets and decrepit frame hovels. Of fourteen divisions, only four remained. The fire had raged nearly a week, and when it was over, someone had to suffer for the destruction. The emperor, fearful for his future and life, searched for a handy

scapegoat. Nearest at hand were the Christians.

To fully understand what immediately happened, you have to think of Rome and its feelings about the early Christians. Even under the emperors, Rome was prepared to be tolerant of all beliefs and all gods. Temples to various gods were among the most ornate and beautiful buildings in Roman cities from Britain to Asia Minor. But the Christians were different than others for they declared that their God was the only true god; all others were false. They rebuked other Romans for belief in the other gods. Because the Christians were more fervent in their belief than can be imagined today and because they were different, they caused much ill will even among those who would have left them in peace. The average Roman knew little of the strange new God whom the Christians would have replaced all the other beloved and familiar gods. Nor did the Romans

comprehend how it was that a certain Christos from the province of Palestine could be the son of this God, be executed, and then come to life again.

Paul of Tarsus and Peter, the Galilean fisherman turned prophet-teacher, had preached the words of Christos and had made very substantial inroads among Rome's people. It appeared that the new belief had come of importance. Roman leaders, including Nero and his chief advisor, Tigellinus, came to fear the power of the new religion. Many in authority, people of tolerance, came to agree with their emperor. And so it was that the fire's embers had barely cooled when Nero had the Christians rounded up, driven to the Manerine and the Colosseum, dressed in animal skins, and thrown to packs of giant Molossian dogs, lions, tigers and even crocodiles. Later, the followers of Christ, those that remained, saw to it that

Peter, their beloved teacher, a disciple of Christ, left Rome.

Two figures walked slowly alone on the way to Campagna, in the hush of the early morning, nearly two thousand years ago. One was a boy, the other was the silver-haired fisherman. It is recorded that Peter saw a brilliant light, bright as the sun, come through the trees that in those days nearly covered the road. The light tinged the leaves and even the drops of dew which had not disappeared before the sunrise. Then the boy saw Peter fall to the ground as if to kiss the soil and cry, "O Christ, O Christ!" And there came to Peter's ears a sad and gentle voice which told him, "If thy desire my people, I am going to Rome to be crucified a second time." Then, Peter rose and followed by the boy turned back to Rome, back to his martyred people who needed him, back to death and immortality.

## Clergyman Aids Stricken Youth By Radio Relay

SIOUX FALLS, S. Dak. (AP) — A Lutheran clergyman, the Rev. R. H. Ford, who as a hobby has been an amateur radio operator for 38 years, recently picked up another "ham's" call from Riberalta, Bolivia, for aid in a medical emergency, involving a two-year-old boy on a mission post.

After recording the request, including a diagnosis and the type of medicine needed, the Rev. Mr. Ford passed it on to a physician, who contacted a Chicago drug house, which cabled its representative in Ecuador, who had the medicine flown to La Paz, Bolivia, and from there to the mission by private plane.

## Philosopher Sees 'New Word' Age

### GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP)

— According to the Canadian philosopher Marshall McLuhan, the spoken word gave way to the written word, but now "we are leaving the age of printing and passing into the age of electronic communications."

This has large implications for Protestant theology, says a theologian, the Rev. Dr. Howard Hageman. Writing in the Church Herald, he notes that God's Word had come to mean "the printed words of Scripture." However, he adds, "if the printed word is now slipping in favor of another kind of word," this forces "us to ask just what it is that we mean by the Word of God."

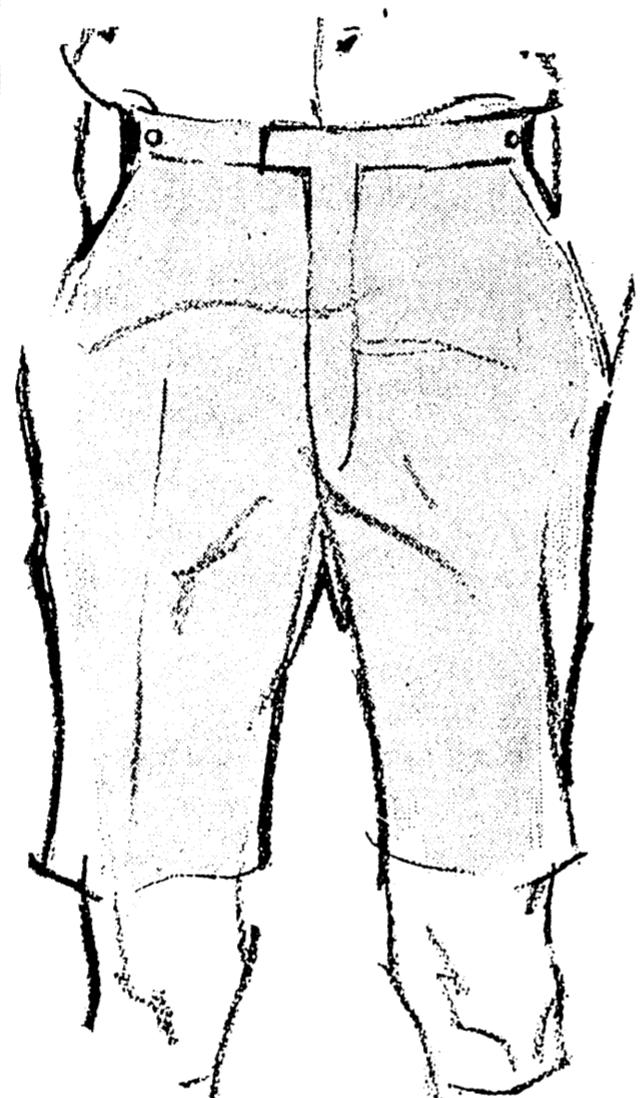
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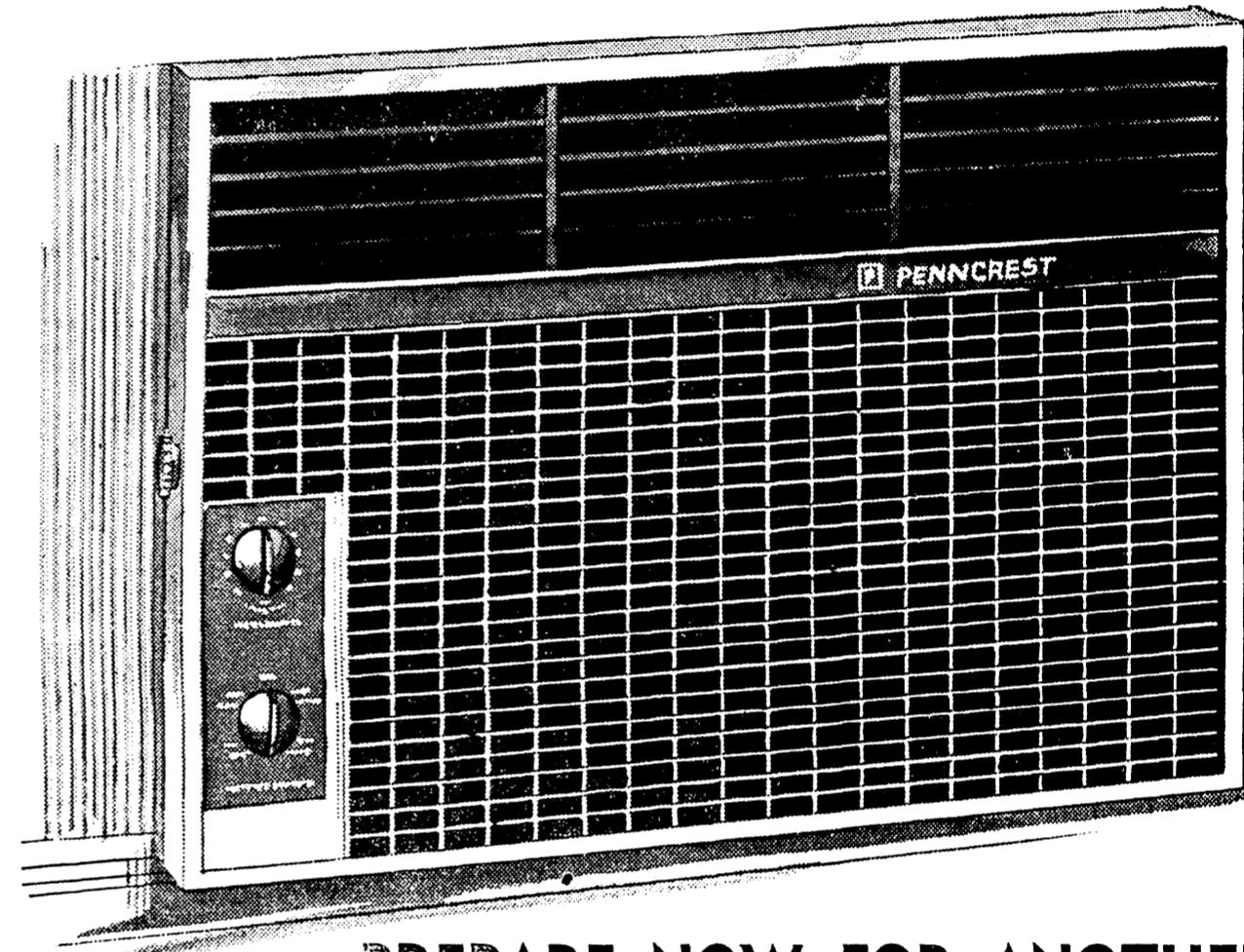
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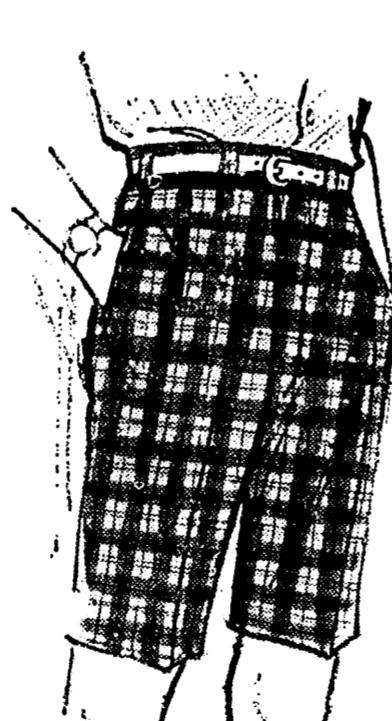
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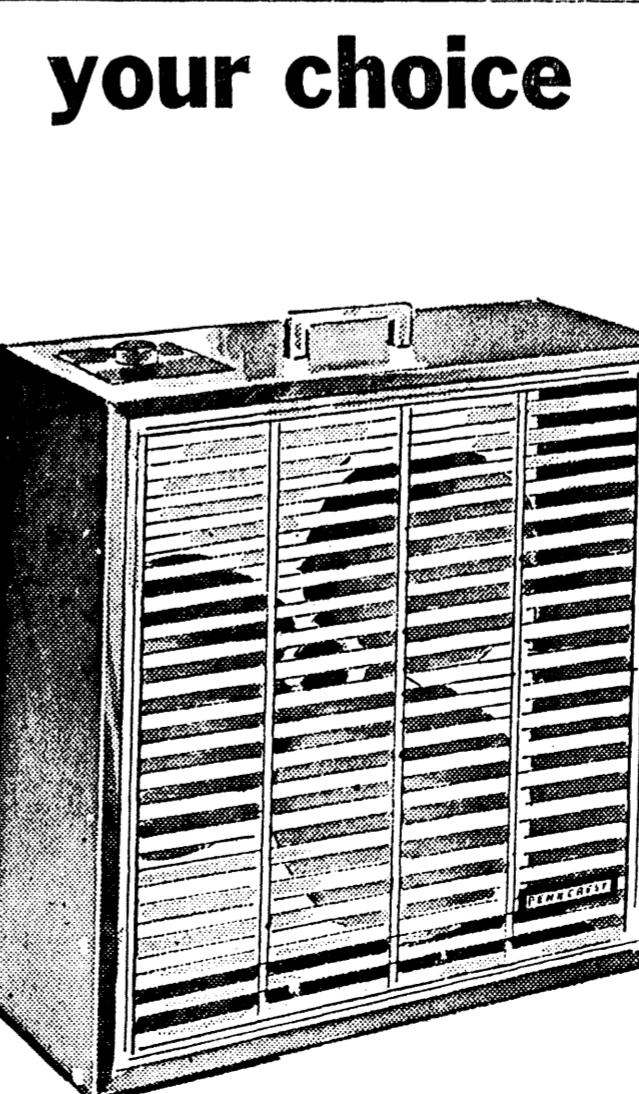
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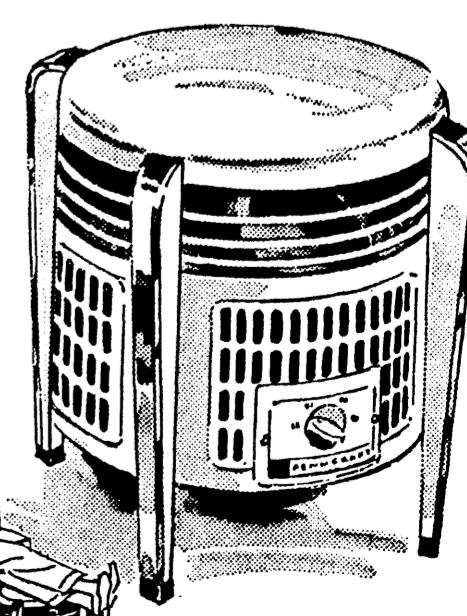
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## Purple Door Chic East Side N. Y. Discotheque

**EDITOR'S NOTE** — Behind that door on the East Side is Arthur, not him but things. A discotheque where the stars can hardly see to eat. Sybil Burton Christopher and 73 celebs started it to be a fat cat, which nobody wants to kill. Another in a series on the "in" places.

By JEAN SPRAIN WILSON  
NEW YORK (AP) — When beatle John McCartney once was asked what he called his long hair, he replied, "Arthur." "Arthur" is also a bright purple door on New York's chic East Side, and the blackness beyond punctured by glowing cigarettes and dancing pin lights from the ceiling. It is numb watchers hunched at low stools, a relentless assault of sound, and frenzied bodies on a patch of dance floor.

It is, in short, a discotheque. Arthur is a rare place. Here secretaries and show girls in bizarre miniskirts and their bushy-haired escorts in vinyl suits and polka dot shirts mingle with a conventionally dressed Jacqueline Kennedy and Mike Nichols, or Lynda Bird Johnson and George Hamilton.

It is one of the few spots where a girl can be complimented on her dancing without realizing how great the compliment is.

"I thought to myself, if that girl only knew that Frederick Ashton is choreographer for the British Royal Ballet!" said Sybil Burton Christopher, who reigns as queen at Arthur. Her night spot could be described as the personality cult of this petite, platinum-haired woman who made headlines when she lost Richard Burton to Elizabeth Taylor.

"We were all surprised to find ourselves in this business," said Sybil in retrospect. "It started as a fat cat, which nobody wants to kill. Another in a series on the "in" places."

as a joke, you know. None of us had the slightest experience. Opening night was frightening."

However, by sunset that night two years ago, New York's newest discotheque was already bulging with so many celebrities that Rock Hudson could not persuade the headwaiter to let him in.

At that time the so-called experts had already begun to toll the death knell for the rock 'n' disco business. Yet, with the exception of a few bad weather nights, the crowds have continued to turn up. Indeed, plans are now in the works to open more Arthurs wherever the jet set may be—Miami, Acapulco, Montreal, even staid old Monaco.

By "we" Sybil refers to the 73 celebrity stockholders—friends such as Roddy McDowall, Edward Villella, Anthony Newley and Mike Nichols.

In lamenting over the lack of a swank and swinging watering hole like London's "Ad Lib," the group kidded each other about tossing a few thousand in the pot to start one, until the joking reached a "put-up-or-shut-up" stage. Suddenly these entertainers seem to adjust to both obstacles.

"Jordan is the reason Arthur swings the way it does" Sybil says, glowing proudly over her new 24-year-old husband. She discovered him at the Peppermint Lounge and brought him to Arthur. "He is in charge of our sound."

Though the unorientated still call it noise, "sound" is what gives a place individuality and continuity. Hiring name rock bands is no longer important; booking the right sound is. That has become Jordan's job, along

with pursuing his acting career. Inadvertently, when Sybil set an anything-goes clothes policy at Arthur's inception, she booked, in effect, a colorful continuing floor show performed by the paying guests. Dresses are bared than bathing suits and sometimes sheerer than shadows. What men wear is equally uninhibited.

Success has its problems though. Temps flare. A fight erupts. Chairs and bottles fly. Arthur gets headlines it doesn't want. But Sybil bristles at a suggestion that gangsters might be trying to muscle in.

"They wouldn't dare. All together we are an important and powerful group. We've got good lawyers. If any gangsters came to us, something would be done."

### O'NEILL ABROAD

NEW YORK (AP) — Eugene O'Neill's drama "The Emperor Jones" is being sent on a European tour by the O'Neill Memorial Theater Foundation. James Earl Jones is to play the title role.

The production, directed by Gene Frankel, is to appear at the Edinburgh and Holland Festivals, as well as make stops in Belgium, Switzerland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland and England.

## Venereal Disease Reportedly Worse Than The Great Plagues

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — A fed States and 1.5 million new gonorrhea infections are occurring in the country each year.

Venereal disease problems are

not brought on by sexual promiscuity alone, Schwartz

said, and public attitudes are preventing eradication of the diseases.

"Everybody associates VD with something dirty, with sexual promiscuity, sin or prostitution," he said. "But I can't believe that the hundreds of pregnant women who give birth to crippled or blind or even dead children have been sexually promiscuous."

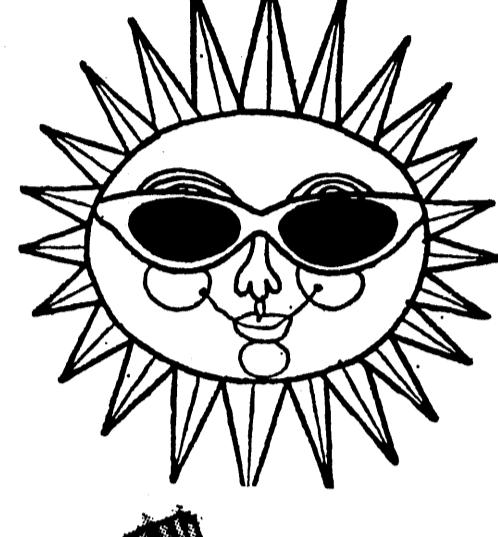
While it is possible to contract venereal disease without being promiscuous, officials emphasize that one need have little fear of catching syphilis or gonorrhea except through intimate physical contact, usually

related to sexual activity.

"The germs which cause these diseases simply cannot live for more than a few minutes outside of the human body," said Dr. Eugene J. Gillespie, also of CDC. "And so they must be passed from one person to another through direct skin-to-skin contact, or, in the case of syphilis, from mother to unborn child through the blood stream."

Schwartz said public attitudes compound the eradication problem. Voluntary funds to educate the public on VD always have been small, he said, and federal and state funds are cut drastically each time progress is made in lowering the infection rate.

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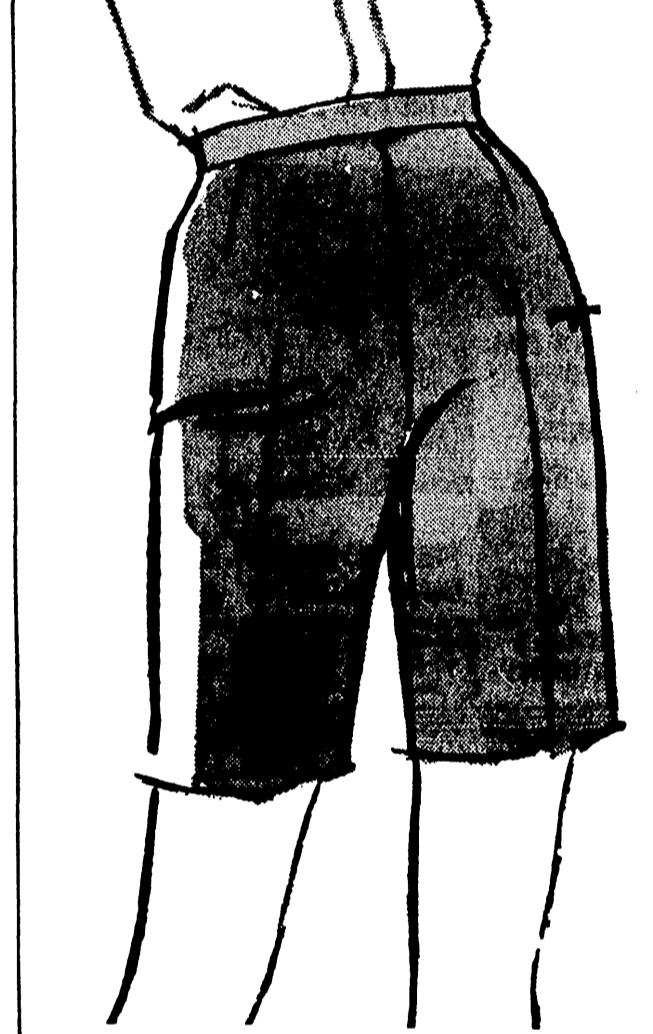
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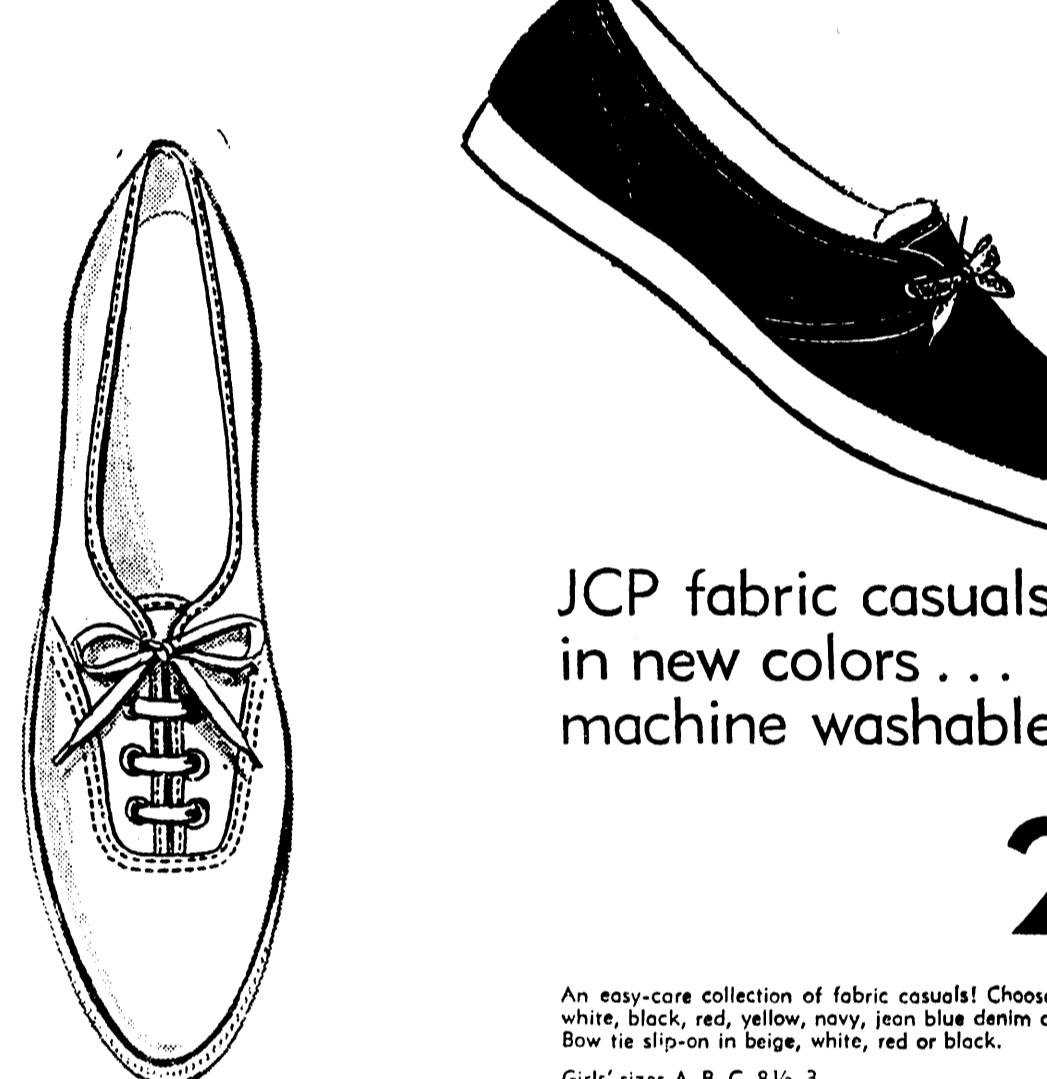
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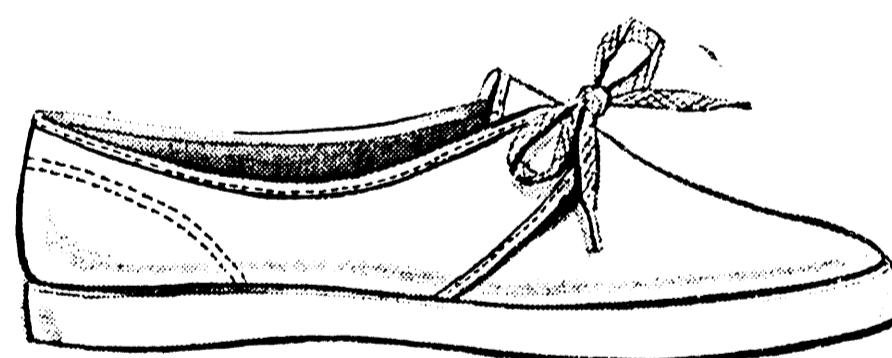


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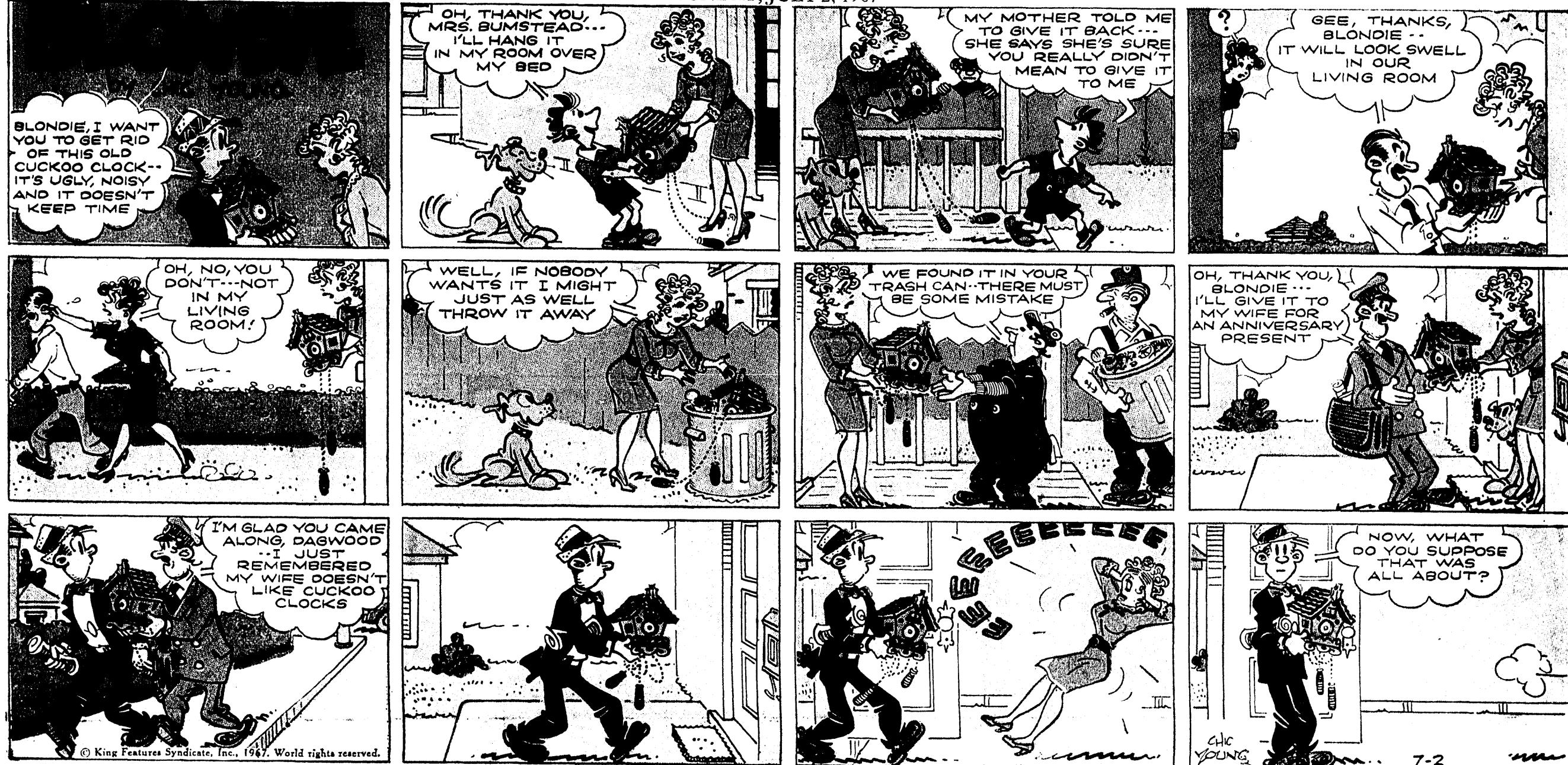


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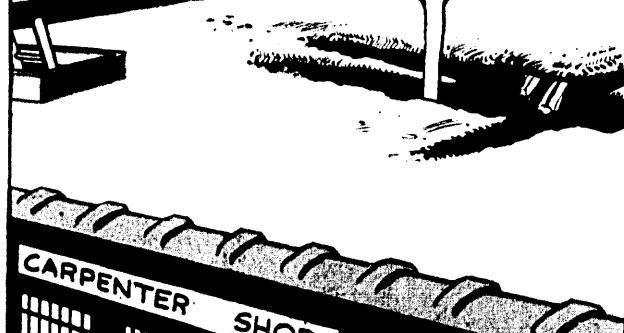


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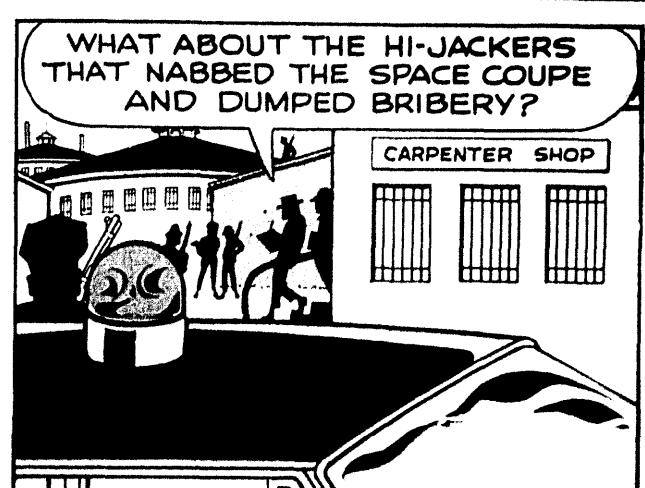
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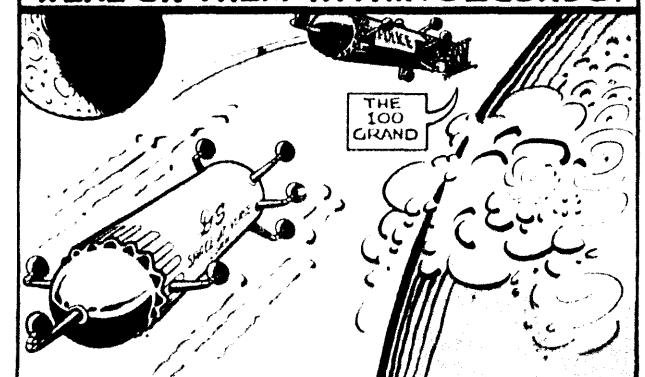
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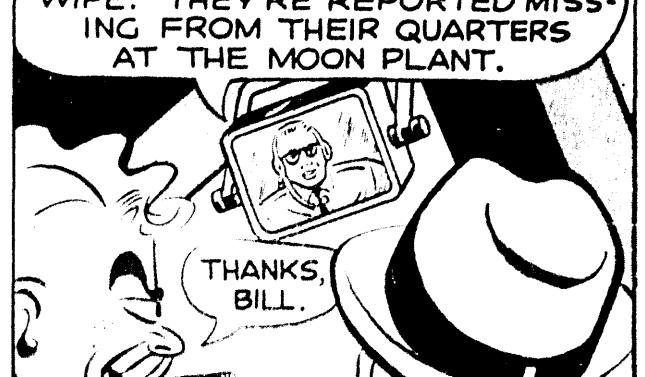
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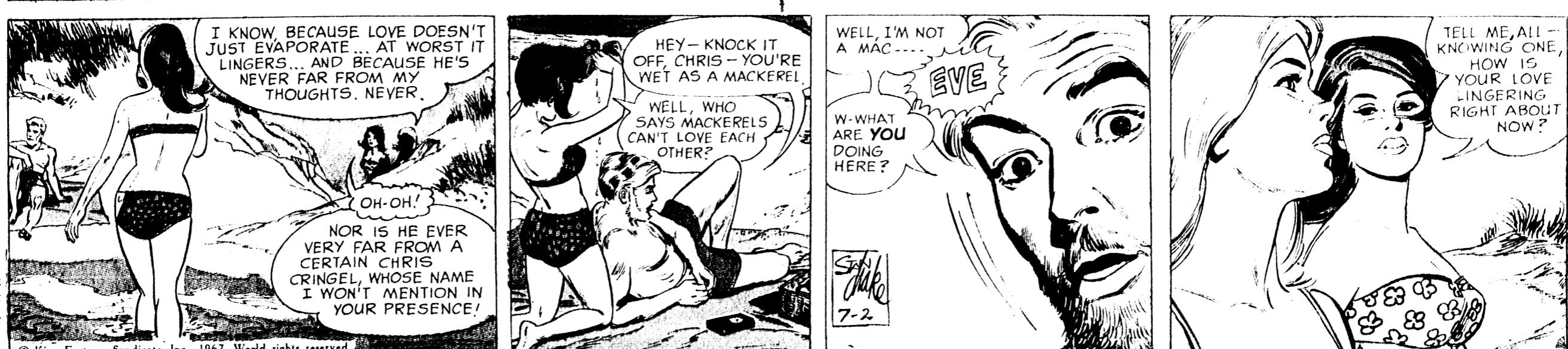
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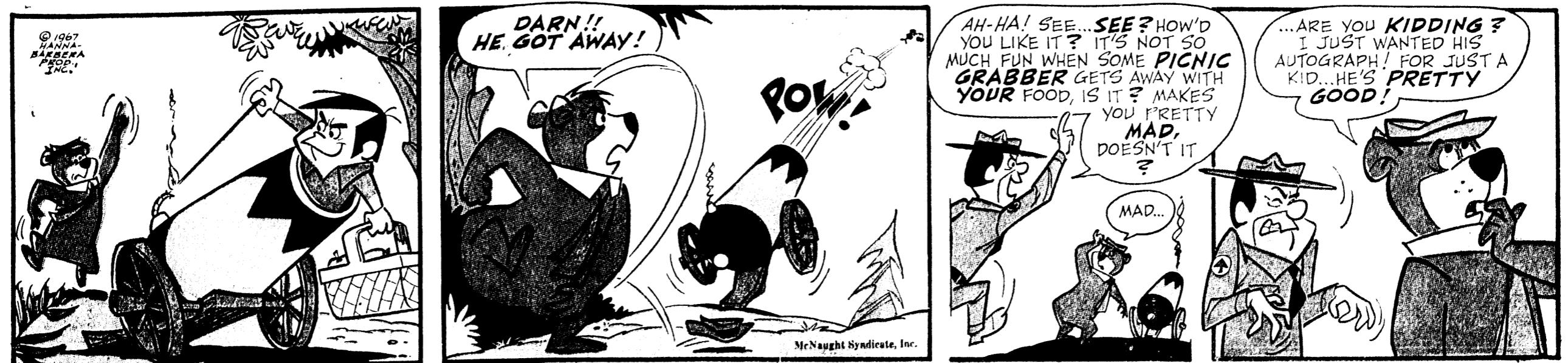
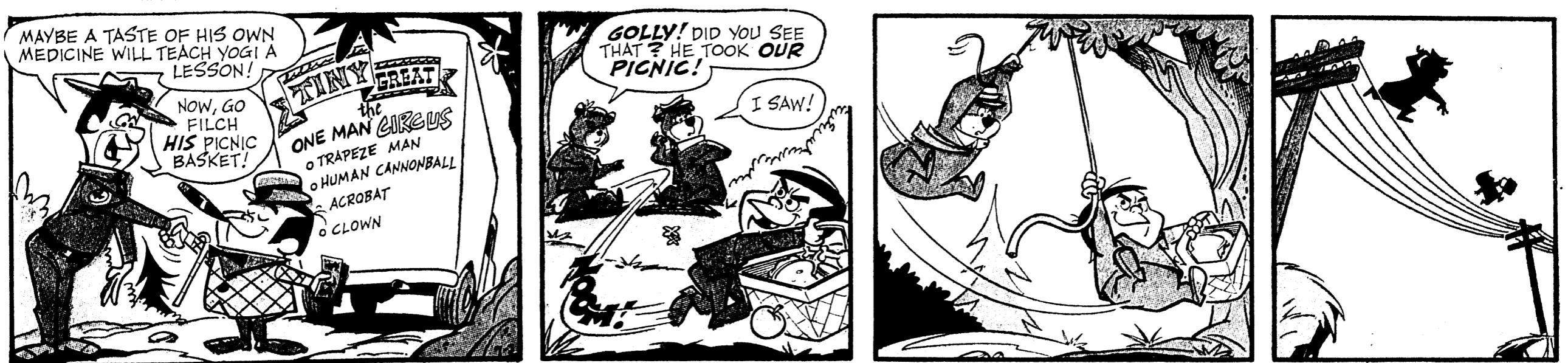
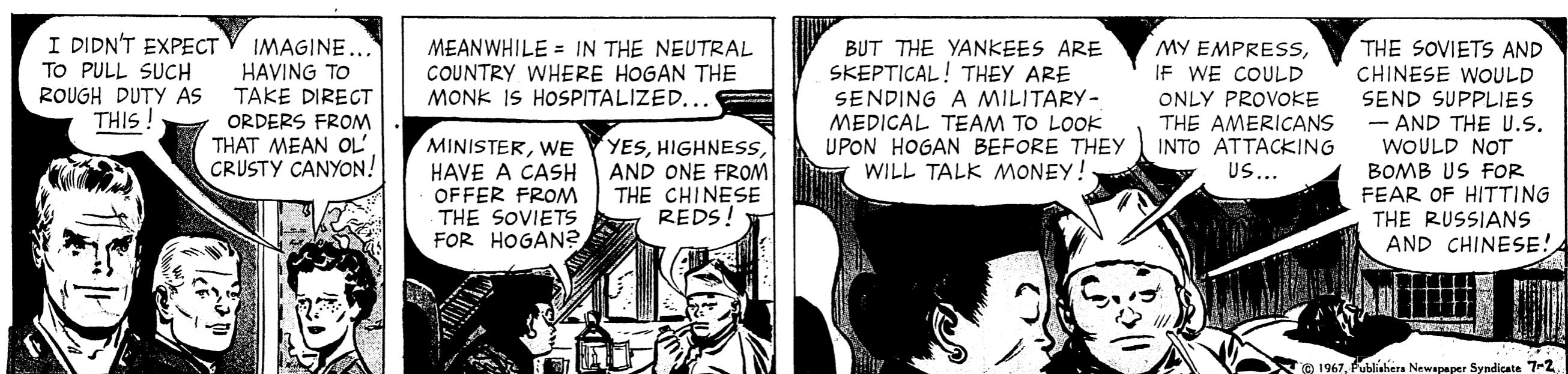
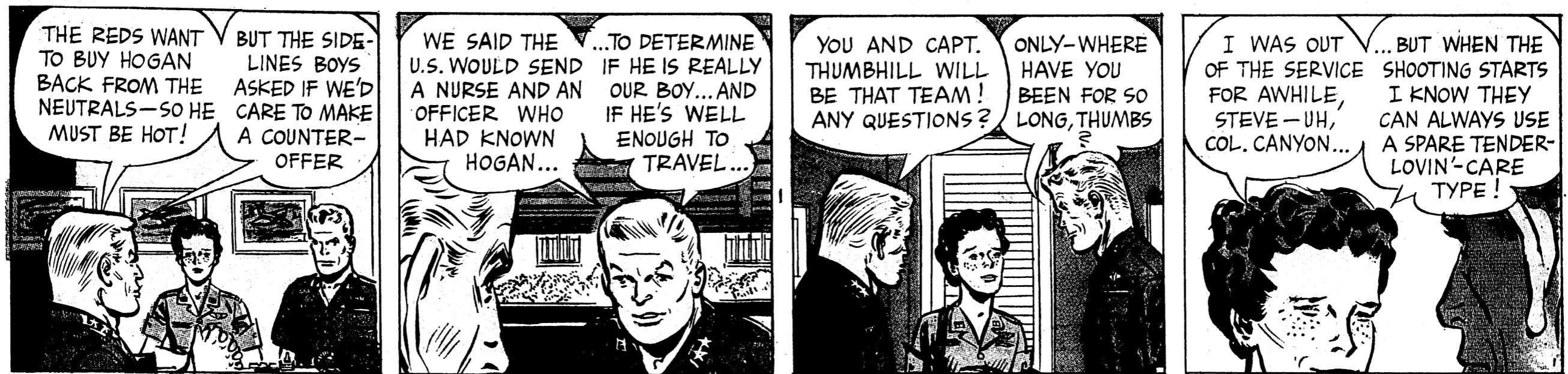
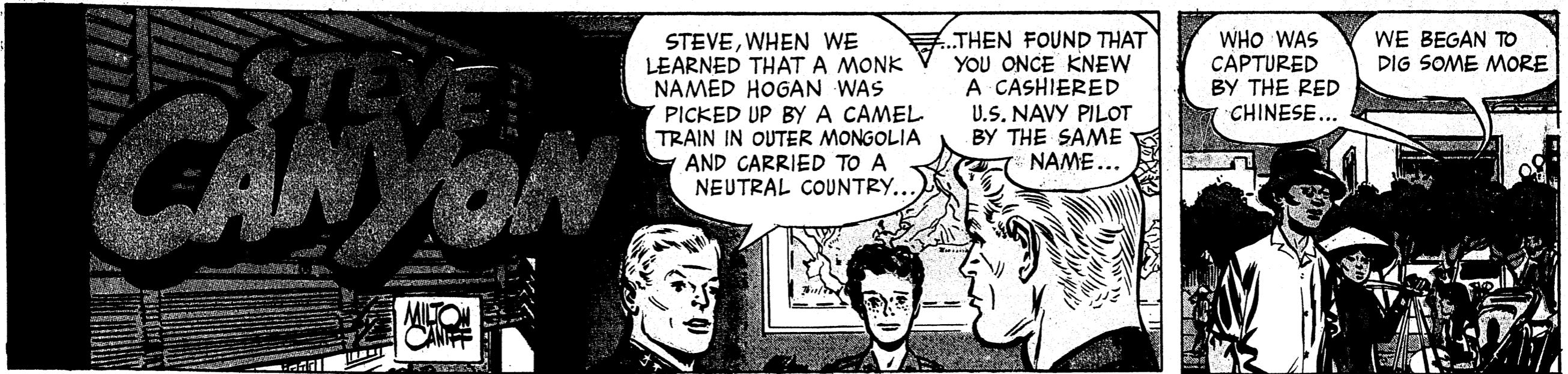
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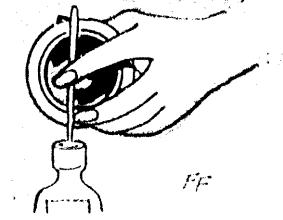
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the edge far enough to be inserted slightly into the small hole.

Then just pour slowly. It won't spill.

Emmy Walsh

TABLECLOTH ROUNDUP

DEAR HELOISE:

I needed a protective covering for my new round maple dinette table which we also use to play games on.

I was unable to find the right color flannel-backed

plastic cloth to fit, so I bought a 54"x72" flannel-backed plastic cloth in a solid color that matched the decor of my dinette. I cut



out a round cloth from one end of the cloth, and hemmed it easily on the sewing machine.

Then I cut out four wedge-shaped place mats from the other end of the cloth. From the remaining corners of the cloth, I cut out several coasters for use in the den.

I pinned the place mats and coasters. By turning the edges under about one inch on the place mats and barely tipping the crease with the pinking shears, I got a diamond-cut effect. One could use a hole puncher to make small circles.

Now I have protection and beauty for my table for less than three dollars.

Dottie Jo

TEEN-AGER'S TREAT

DEAR HELOISE:

I keep my large trash can inside an old car tire in the back yard. It fits snugly

enough to keep the wind from blowing the trash can over and prevents dogs from knocking it over.

In fact, I painted the tire silver to match the trash can, and it doesn't look bad at all.

S. C.

DEAR HELOISE:

This is what I did when my small child graduated from his crib to a regular bed.

I pushed the bed against a wall and placed a rolled-up blanket between the springs and mattress on the side away from the wall.

This made the side away from the wall just a little higher and prevented the child from rolling off the bed.

Linda

TEEN-AGER'S TREAT

DEAR HELOISE:

Here's a tip for making individual gelatin molds:

After you have used all the margarine in one of

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those soft margarine tubs, don't throw it away. Wash it out, and the next time you are making gelatin, just lightly grease the tub and fill it to the top with gelatin.

Let it chill, and after it has completely jelled, run warm water over the bottom for a couple of seconds. Presto, you have a beautiful mold, just as pretty as anyone can buy.

Teen-ager

NO PRESSING PROBLEM



DEAR HELOISE:

Hang several clip-type clothespins by strings (or ribbon) to a hanger or nail in your closet.

Clip all your soft scarves by the tip of each corner.

A Reader

DEAR HELOISE:

I am the oldest of six children . . . three girls, two boys, one girl. We three older girls had some tights that either didn't fit, or had holes in the toes.

Run one string through these holes before the shoe is tied and this will hold the tongue in place.

blankets. I measured the length of her arms and shoulders and the length I wanted the robe to be. Then I cut the pattern and made a really cute robe.

So, I got very good use from one of her outgrown baby blankets.

Mrs. Margaret O'Neal

DEAR HELOISE:

When the tongue of a child's shoe keeps sliding out of place at the top eyelets of the shoe, cut two slits in the top of the tongue big enough for the shoe-string to go through.

Run one string through these holes before the shoe is tied and this will hold the tongue in place.

Frances Montgomery

QUICK AND EASY

DEAR HELOISE:

I keep a list of poison "counter-doses" taped to the inside of my medicine cabinet.

It's always handy just in case something harmful is accidentally swallowed by the children.

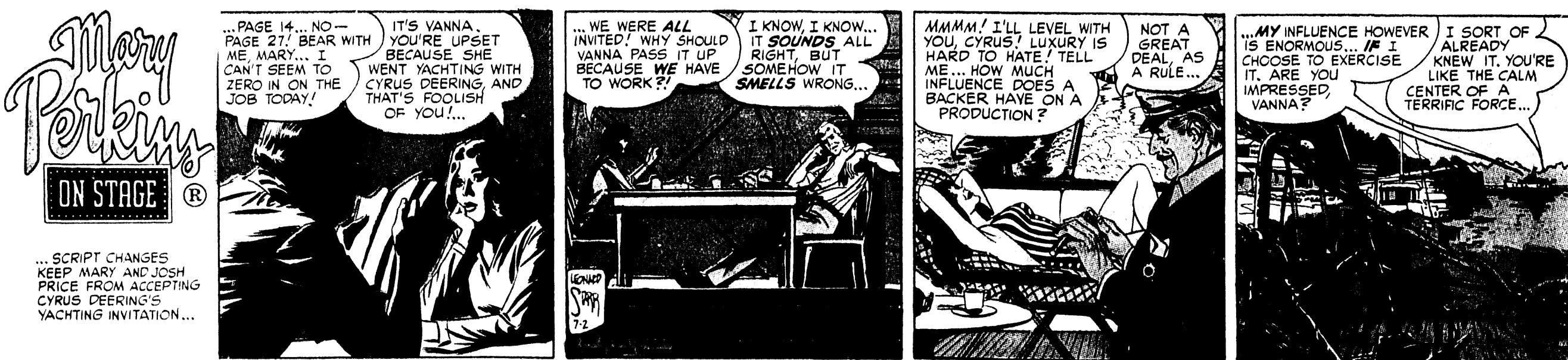
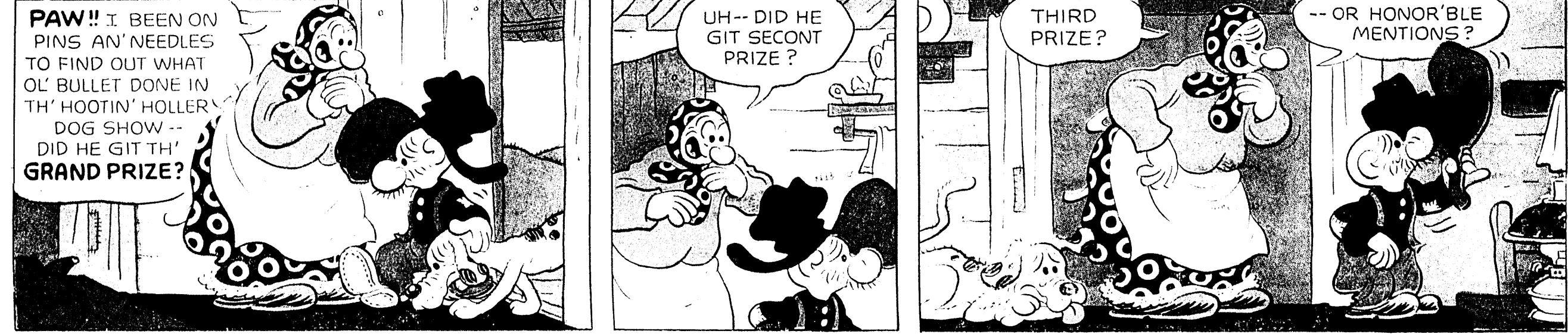
The list was approved by my doctor.

Gene

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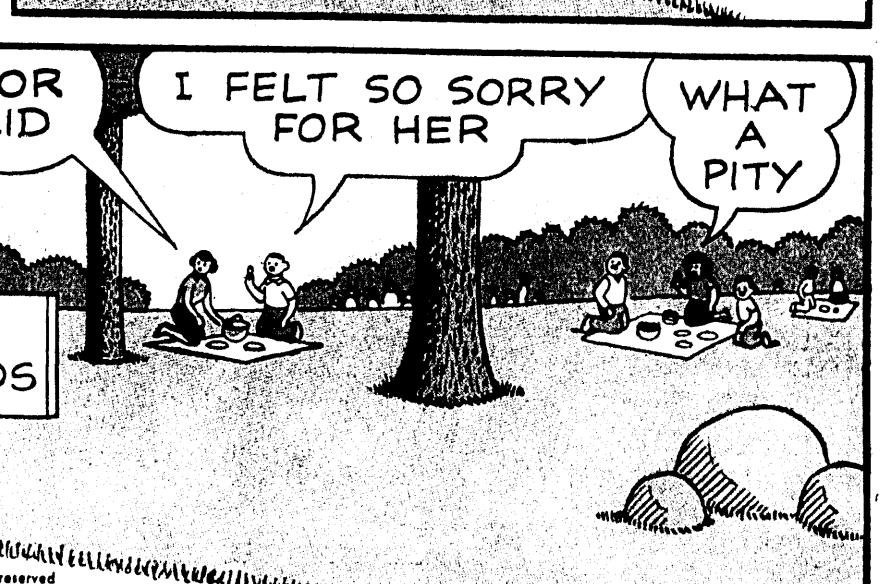
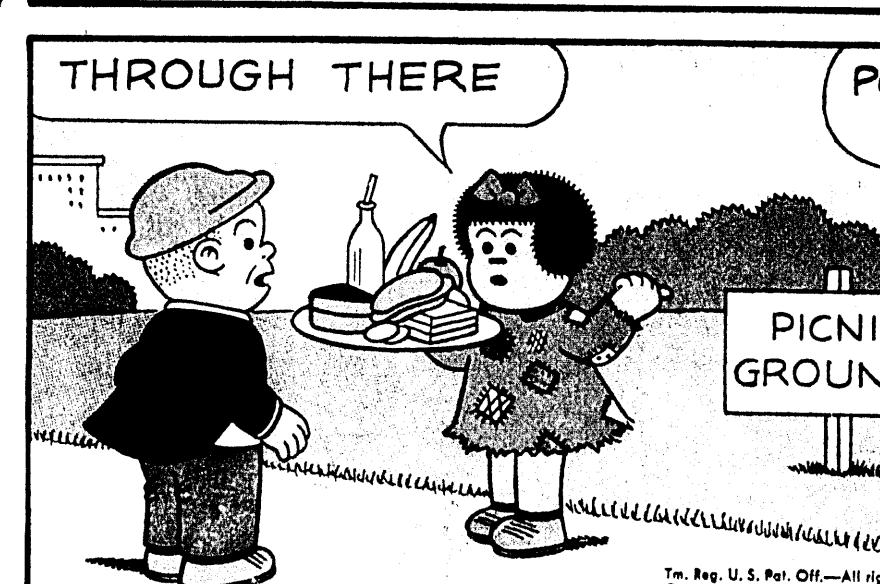
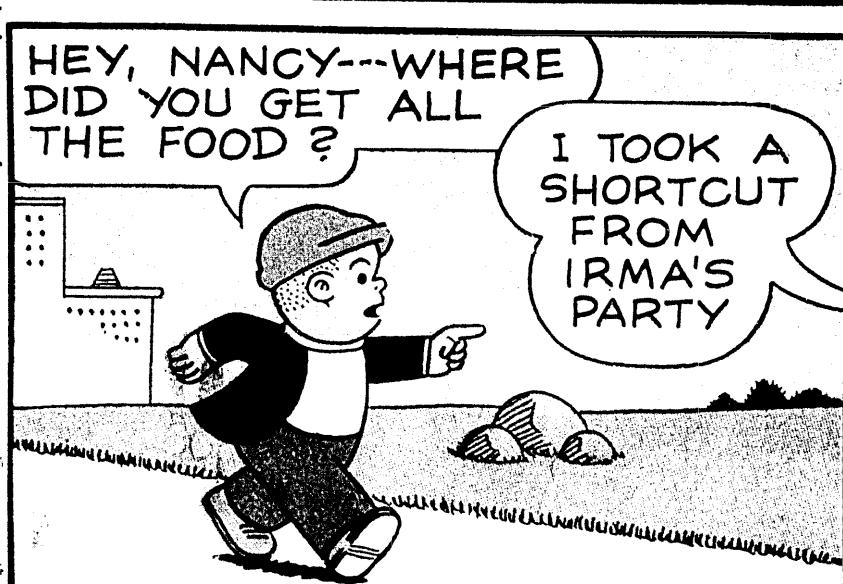
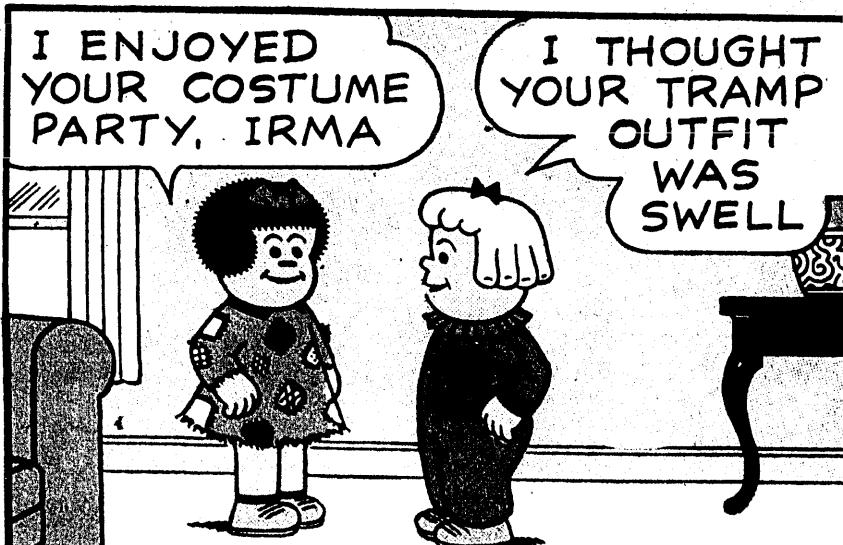
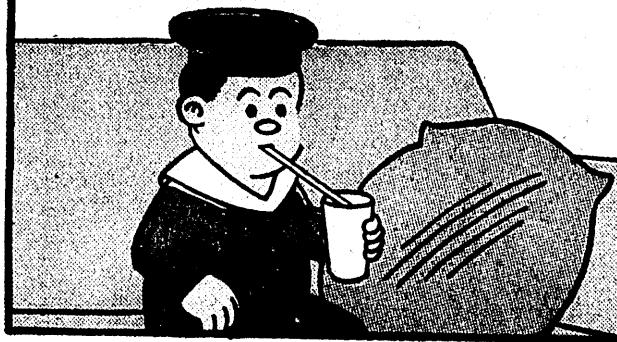
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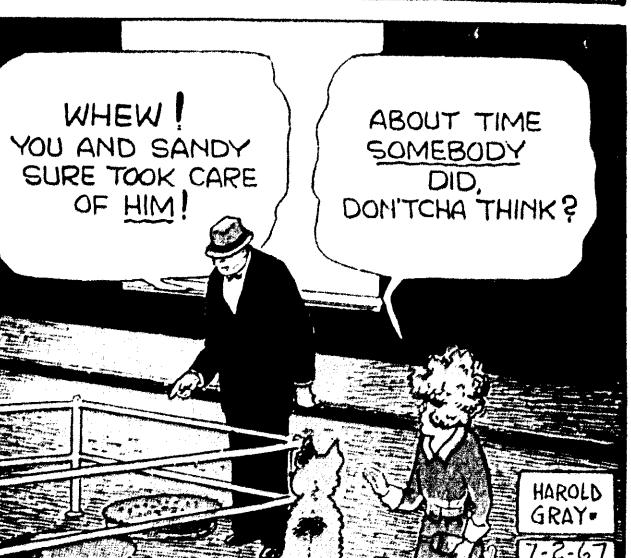
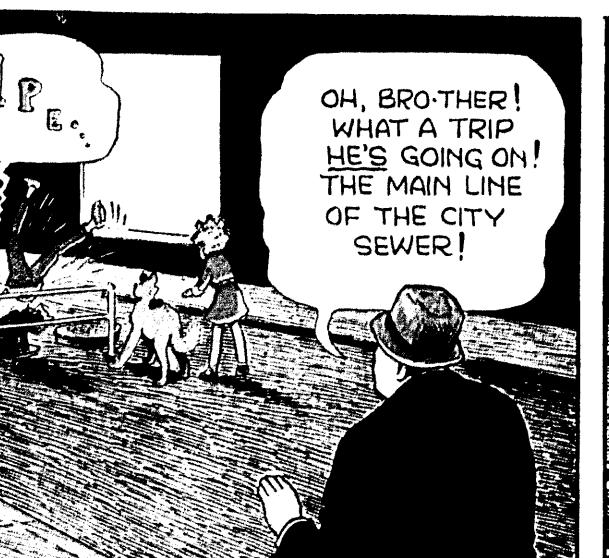
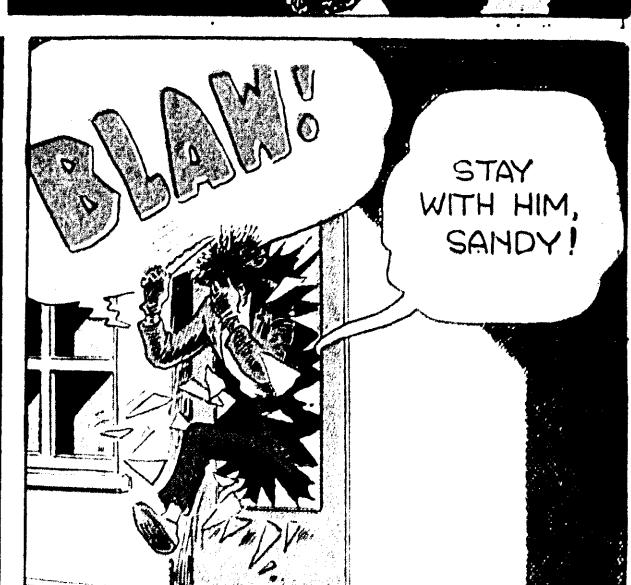


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ALL THAT I GAVE SHALL BE REPAYED."  
—JOHN MAGEFIELD.  
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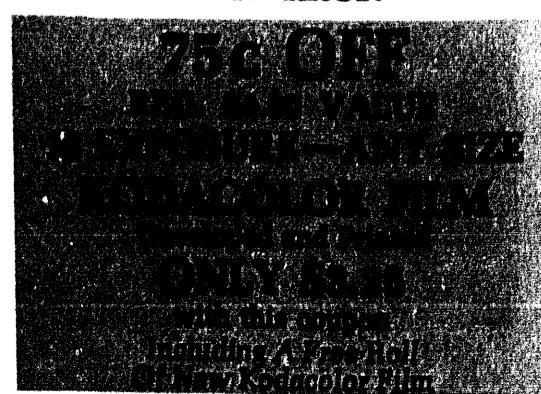
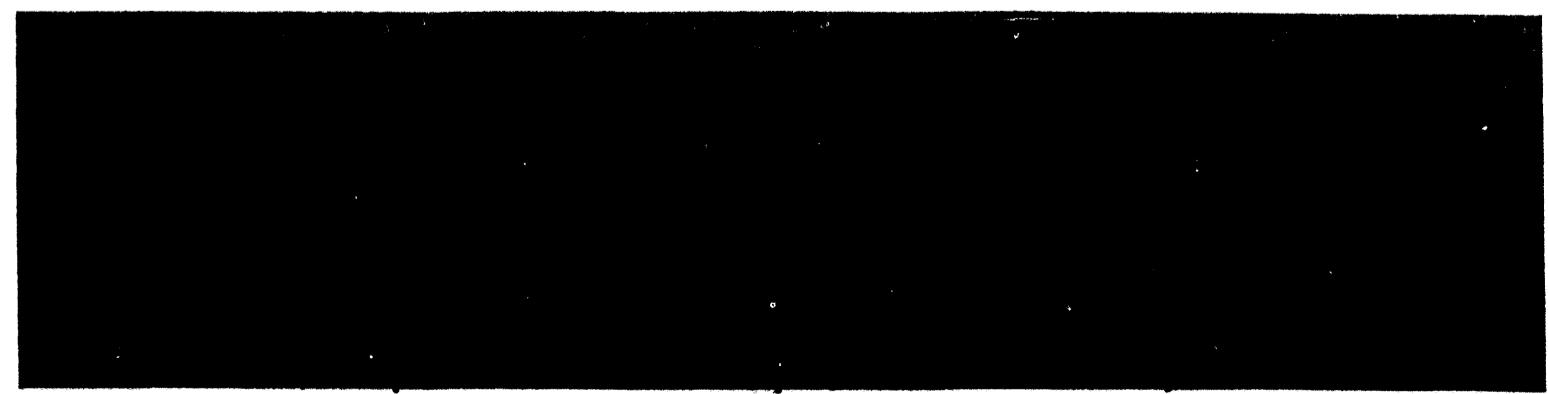
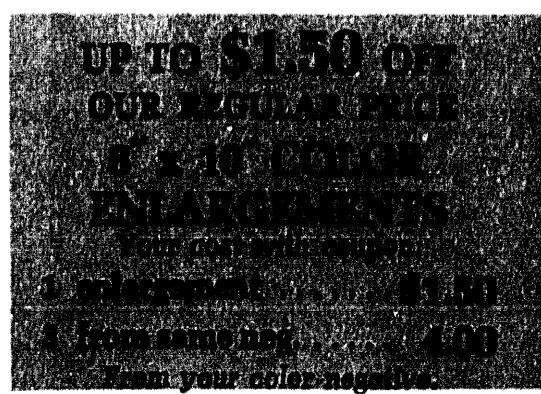
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